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Water officials take significant steps forward

■ While Measure A claimed our attention, Cal-Am, water district made quiet progress on a number of fronts.

By PAUL WOLF

ONLY A week or so after the defeat of Measure A, even devoted water watchers may have all but forgotten that the controversial "Preserve Our Water Resources" initiative battle ever took place.

PINE CONE ANALYSIS

After all, the Peninsula is back where it was before that ballot drive claimed its attention. A general question remains: How can the community make up for its sizable overpumping of Carmel River? A specific question also remains: Is a new dam on the Carmel River the best (and the only) way to go?

True enough, these dilemmas are still central to solving the area's water problems. But over the past few months, during the "distraction" of the Measure A affair, there has been quiet progress being made in the background.

Many of these developments boost the cause of dam supporters and opponents alike. But no one can say that either the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District (MPWMD) or the California-American Water Co. (Cal-Am) are not working hard to find water both for Carmel River and the virtually dry Peninsula cities.

Consider these developments:

■ **Despite the MPWMD's failure in** 1995 to get voter support for the New Los Padres Dam, Cal-Am's proposal for an identical dam 25 miles up-river is a living, breathing project that will be the subject of public hearings later this year.

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A bright outlook

PHOTO/COURTESY OF ROBERT WEBB

Comet Hale-Bopp is shown here as pictured at 5 a.m. on March 8 by Carmel Valley's Robert Webb at the Tularcitos Observatory. The comet, which will be the focus of a potluck party in the Valley on April 5, can best be viewed this week between 4:30 and 5:30 a.m. in the northeast sky. It sports a tail 10 to 15 degrees long.

Comet Hale-Bopp creating a stir

By DOUG THOMPSON

IF YOU'RE one of those folks awake in the early morning, specifically from 4:30 to 5:30 a.m., Comet Hale-Bopp is yours for the viewing . . . providing the skies are clear.

Comet Hale-Bopp, "which could become the brightest comet of this century," according to Carmel Valley astronomer Robert Webb, is now visible in the northeast morning sky.

Next Thursday and Friday (March 20-21), the comet will become more easily

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Washboard effect on upper Ocean Avenue to be smoothed out

By PAUL WOLF

NEARLY FOUR months after its grand opening, recently paved upper Ocean Avenue is due for more work to make it ripple-free. This time, according to city officials, the project should take about a day instead of a month.

Ocean between Carpenter and Junipero will undergo resurfacing to correct the flaws resulting from problems in the way that the cement was poured, according to Carmel Public Works Director Jim Cullem.

The project, if all goes to plan, should be carried out within the next 30 days or so, Cullem said.

Granite Construction Co., which handled the paving contract last year, will return with heavy equipment and smooth out the washboard effect, which has been the subject of many complaints from residents, according to Cullem.

"It's interesting," Cullem said. "We've had a few people call and say they like the rough surface because they feel it is more 'Carmelish,' but on balance people don't like it."

The ripples are generally less than a quarter-inch high, but even tiny bumps can make for a rough ride, explained Assistant City Administrator Greg D'Ambrosio.

The Carmel City Council took action at last week's meeting to authorize the repairs to be carried out. According to Cullem, there were three reasons that city officials decided to wait so long before moving forward on the repairs:

■ First, they wanted to wait until the holidays, the rainy season and the AT&T Pebble Beach National Pro-Am golf tournament were behind them.

■ Second they wished to see what the reaction from the public would be to the new surface.

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Scam artists prey on senior citizens

By JERRY STEWART

"DON'T BE another victim."

That was the message delivered by Sue Stryker, chief investigator for the Monterey County District Attorney's office, at a seminar held last week at Carmel Foundation concerning the issue of consumer fraud and its impact on senior citizens.

Speaking to an audience of nearly 100 people, Stryker described some of the current fraudulent practices being perpetrated upon Monterey Peninsula seniors and provided advice on how to avoid being scammed.

"It's important to discuss this issue with seniors," Stryker said. "We're especially concerned with elderly people who are unable to get out of the house."

Stryker said the two biggest types of fraud targeting seniors come via the telephone and the U.S. mail.

"We've all received phone calls where someone wants to sell you something," Stryker said. "Even if they're registered with the state, which they're supposed to be, they can still be deceptive."

Stryker said that bogus companies will call seniors because they know seniors often are mannerly and will not just hang up.

"These companies can buy your name off a list and then they know your age," Stryker said. "They'll call seniors by their first name to make you think you know them."

'Just hang up'

Stryker, a 20-year law enforcement veteran, suggested that seniors "just hang up" on unsolicited calls and call organizations themselves if they want to make a donation.

According to Stryker, another weapon used by con artists is award letters, which tell the recipient they have won prizes such as cash or a car.

"Criminals harvest old people," Stryker said. "Once you respond to one of those letters, your name goes on a list which is known as a sucker list. And then your name goes from company to company and they wait for responses."

Stryker told the audience a story about a Carmel Valley woman who sent $15 to $20 back to every letter she

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PHOTO/VIRGINIA PARKE

DOUBLING THEIR PLEASURE

Tularcitos School students Robin Reid and Lauren Steege share reading time together. For complete story, please see Carmel Valley Outlook, pages 10-11.

Carmel Presbyterian pastor must issue apology as part of slander lawsuit settlement

By PAUL WOLF

In an agreement reached last week, the pastor who was sued for allegedly slandering and libeling a church member is scheduled to offer a formal apology to the injured party.

Ending four years of bitter conflict, Carmel Presbyterian Church and its pastor, the Rev. Jonathan Wilson, have agreed to pay Wallace Getz of Pacific Grove $50,000 for calling Getz an alcoholic.

In addition, the forthcoming statement from Wilson will be a "full confession," as it was characterized by Getz's attorney, Gary Gray.

The formal apology to Getz is scheduled to appear in the church's April newsletter, according to Erik Davidson, a church elder.

As for his end of the agreement, Getz will resign from the church, where he served as a trustee that operates the foundation's trust fund.

Wilson was sued for allegedly circulating information stating that Getz, an accountant and a church member, was an alcoholic and that he had been excommunicated from the First Baptist Church in Monterey.

After a period of years in litigation, the case had traveled as far as the 6th District Court of Appeal in San Jose, where it was thrown back down to Monterey County for retrial.

Enough is enough

Davidson said he and other Church representatives were confident they could have prevailed in court had the case been retried. He added that the church and pastor were eager to settle because the case had created much misery for both sides.

"We are quite happy to have this behind us," Davidson said.

About the agreement, Davidson said, "There are no winners and losers in this."

Meanwhile, Gray had a different interpretation regarding the conflict and eventual settlement. "This shows that, under the guise of religious expression and in the cloak of vestments, a preacher is no more or less than any man under the law."

The church agreed to pay $40,000 and Wilson agreed to pay $10,000 from his own pocket. According to Davidson, the church's liability insurance carrier will pick up part, but not all, of the church's share.

Gray said Getz, 82, has spent more in attorney's fees since the dispute began than he will receive. "Wally isn't getting a windfall," Gray said. "We've been litigating this case for years. He wasn't in this for the

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COMET

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observable in the evening sky, according to Dr. Whitney Shane, an astronomer for Monterey Institute for Research in Astronomy (MIRA).

Comet Hale-Bopp, which was discovered in July 1995 by Alan Hale of Cloudcroft, N.M., and Thomas Bopp of Glendale, Ariz., will be most visible later this month and early April.

To celebrate the spectacle on a local level, Friends of MIRA will be holding a free potluck party beginning at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 5 at the Carmel Valley Community Center, 25 Ford Road, Carmel Valley.

Shane will give a brief talk after dinner before the focus turns to viewing the comet, which, according to USA Today in its Wednesday edition is being "billed as the celestial event of the century."

Attendees are asked to dress warm and bring food to share.

Additional information about the event can be obtained by calling MIRA's Laura Cohan at 883-1000.

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Joe Fitzpatrick

Guess who didn't stay for dinner? Mobil, of course

WE don't mean to continue beating a dead horse, but further evidence to question Mobil Travel Guide's erratic ratings system surfaced this week in the form of a prestigious travel publication.

That publication is **Andrew Harper's Hideaway Report**, which announced its Grand Award Winners for finest "hideaway" facilities in both the United States and abroad.

WELL, you could have knocked me over with a hummingbird feather when I read that the renowned Report named Ventana Inn in Big Sur as No. 3 in the entire country among "peaceful and unspoiled places," and also No. 3 among Top 20 U.S. Resort Hotels — up from No. 6 in both categories last year!

Gee, wasn't it only last month that the capricious Mobil Travel Guide DOWNGRADED Ventana's restaurant to Three Stars (after 15 years at Four Stars) for reasons — if any — it failed to explain.

PERHAPS the discrepancy between Mobil and the Hideaway Report can be explained by the rating TECHNIQUES of the two publications.

Mobil sent two NEW reviewers (a couple) to Ventana for a single meal (lunch) on which to base its rating for the year. ONE LUNCH!

URGED to return for dinner, the couple explained they "couldn't afford it" because Mobil only reimburses them for PART of the cost of the meals they consume during their review visits!

(Does the term "Mickey Mouse" come to mind here?)

ON the other hand, the Hideaway Report ratings are based on a series of INCOGNITO inspections, focusing on the quality of a lodging property's accommodations and meals. In addition, those ratings also target presentation, cleanliness, decor, upkeep, noncommercial character and commitment to personal service.

Oh, and for those incognito visits, the Hideaway Report reviewers are reimbursed 100 percent by the Report. Reviewers not only stay overnight, but also stay for breakfast, lunch and dinners! On several visits.

BESIDES Ventana at No. 3, other Hideaway Grand Award Winners for the year are:

1 — Mayflower Inn, Washington, Conn. 2 — Greystone Inn, Lake Toxaway, N.C. 4 — Kachemak Bay Wilderness Lodge, Alaska. 5 — Twin Farms, Barnard, Vt.

TWO other area facilities were cited by the Hideaway Report in a special category — BEST U.S. Resort Hideaways With Less Than 50 Guest Rooms:

They are Big Sur's breathtaking **Post Ranch Inn**, at No. 3, and Carmel Valley's **Stonepine**, No. 20.

IS it any surprise that Mobil gave Post Ranch a routine Three Star rating — putting it on a par with the San Joaquin Motel in Fresno?

Or that Stonepine did not rate even ONE star — although such garden spots as Super 8 Motel in Bakersfield, Best Western Golden Key Motel in Gilroy and Economy Inn Motel in Barstow did!

AS Moliere wrote more than three centuries ago — "The world, dear Agnes, is a strange affair."

You can take that to the bank, Agnes.

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TODAY'S QUOTE . . . **Jay Leno**, on the birth of Michael Jackson's son:

"It works out great. Now Madonna's daughter will have somebody to go to therapy with."

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ITZA GREAT TOWN . . . **Lewis Leader**, former associate editor of the Monterey Herald, will become managing editor of the Toledo (Ohio) Blade beginning July 1.

Leader, who spent 18 years with the Herald (interrupted in the middle by four years as a reporter for San Francisco Examiner), resigned in 1994 soon after Scripps-Howard took over ownership of the paper.

FOR the past two years, he has been an executive of Armanasco Public Relations in Monterey. A graduate of University of California (Berkeley), Lewis won

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City of Carmel moving forward on low-income housing — 1 unit at a time

By PAUL WOLF

WHEN IT comes to low-income housing in a city like Carmel-by-the-Sea, every available unit is considered precious.

And one precious low-income unit is exactly what will come out of the six-unit apartment building to be constructed at the northeast corner of Mission and Fourth, where a full demolition of a house occurred earlier this month.

The project at that corner is a reminder of the slow progress the city is making on affordable housing. Slow, yes — but steady, city officials would argue.

The new low-income unit will eonstitute the city's sixth designated low-income unit set aside since 1994, when the city council reaffirmed its goal of providing more low-income housing in its revised General Plan Housing Element.

While that may not sound like a lot of low-income units for a town of about 4,200 residents, Carmel Planning Director Brian Roseth suggests that strides are being made.

"I think we are doing well," Roseth said.

Consider these two factors:

■ The two-and-a-half year-old housing element includes "incentives" for developers who create low-income units. That means over time more units will be set aside.

Incentives include faster processing of applications and "density bonuses" for complexes that include low-income rentals.

The soon-to-be-built complex at Fourth and Mission will take advantage of this density bonus, getting more building for the land than normally allowed. In return, the develop-

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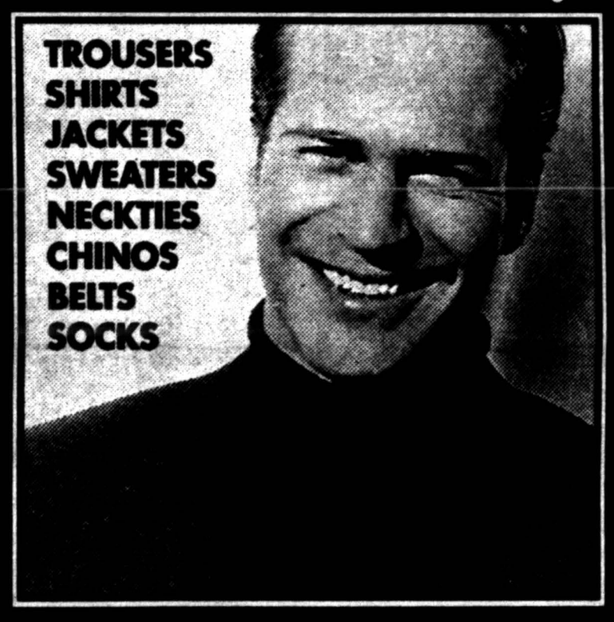

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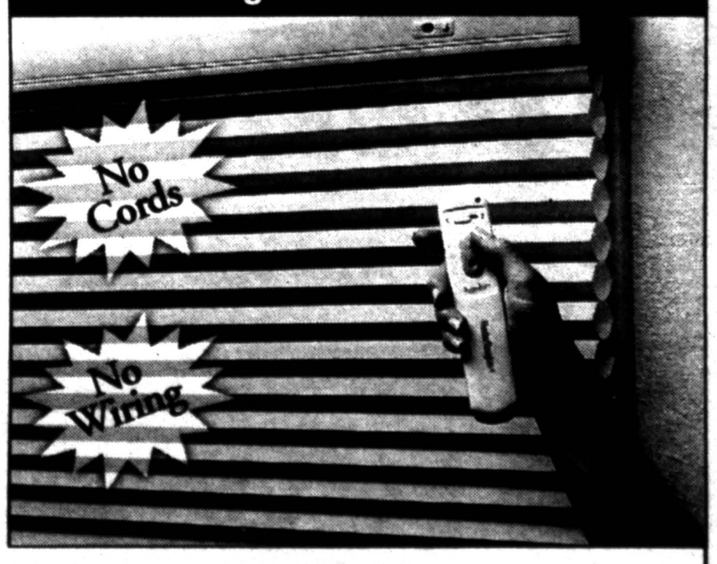

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Sheriff's Log

He interrupted meeting, then fled in limousine

HERE'S A look at the more significant items of activity logged by the Monterey County Sheriff's Department from Tuesday, March 4 through Saturday, March 8.

"Carmel" entries do not include calls made from within the city limits of Carmel-by-the-Sea, which is under the jurisdiction of the Carmel Police Department.

TUESDAY, MARCH 4

Big Sur: A mountain bike, $200 in cash, a camera and a conga drum were among the items stolen out of a Volkswagen van.

Carmel: A business employee reported being frightened by a male transient known as "Robot." Robot tries to enter the establishment every other morning before business hours.

Carmel: An intoxicated man reportedly interrupted a personnel meeting at a grocery store before fleeing in a limousine. The supermarket is in the process of obtaining a restraining order against the intruder.

Carmel: A woman reported seeing a suspicious elderly man wander through her neighborhood. When asked what he was doing, the man replied that he was "just walking."

Big Sur: Deputies responded to a report of three males prowling outside a café. It was subsequently revealed that their vehicle broke down and that they were waiting for a friend to pick them up.

Carmel: A woman reported that an intoxicated man was on her property. He had stolen money and prescription medicine from her and had also made death threats and struck her.

Carmel: An 80-yard trail of gray water was observed trickling from a motor home. The inhabitants of the motor home were advised of the situation.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5

Pebble Beach: Pebble Beach Security reported that union workers were harassing non-union workers at a construction site. After contacting the union representative, deputies established that there were no indications of harassment at the site.

Carmel: Deputies responded to an alarm that sounded at a wastewater treatment facility.

Carmel Valley: A man was reportedly sitting in his vehicle on an easement for 15 minutes.

Carmel Valley: A 73-year-old woman reported being surprised by an unannounced visit from a 62-year-old female acquaintance. The woman felt uncomfortable and stated that she did not want any visitors. A cab was called to take her acquaintance home.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6

Big Sur: A woman reported that workers trespassed onto her property to gain access to an area where they planned to harvest trees.

Pebble Beach: A woman, 22, reported that her former boyfriend, 20, called her residence several times to demand that she return property she took from his house. The woman denied taking the belongings.

Carmel parking contractor charged with embezzlement

By PAUL WOLF

THE MONTEREY County District Attorney's office has been investigating the alleged embezzlement of funds from the City of Carmel by its private parking contractor.

Michael Barry Brooks, a Carmel resident and owner and president of the National Parking Corp. of Monterey, has pled not guilty to charges of embezzlement involving sums of more than $90,000, according to a district attorney statement.

The DA's office has identified three victims of the alleged embezzlement: the City of Carmel, which uses a contractor for its Sunset Center parking lot, the DoubleTree Hotel and Heritage Harbor, both in Monterey

Brooks has waived his right to a preliminary hearing and is scheduled to appear for another arraignment in Monterey County Superior Court on Thursday, March 20.

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Big Sur: A man reported that a check intended for him had been intercepted and cashed at a bank.

Carmel: A woman reported having prob-

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OCEAN AVENUE

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■ Third, they wanted to hear what Granite Construction would propose for solving the problem if it were deemed major.

No cost to city

As it stands, Cullem said, Granite, which is responsible for correcting the problem, will not charge the city for any touch-up work. Moreover, the city may be "credited several thousand dollars" for the company's errors, Cullem said.

In fact, the city has withheld $35,000 from its final payment for the project. The total project cost amounted to $399,597, a sum covering all aspects of the Upper Ocean improvements — design, construction, engineering and landscaping, D'Ambrosio said.

A total of $226,000 of that bill was covered by money received by the Transportation Agency for Monterey County (TAMC), making the city's share less than half of the total bill, according to D'Ambrosio.

D'Ambrosio and Cullem said the resurfacing of upper Ocean will alter the color and appearance of the road in a noticeable, but not necessarily objectionable, way.

For starters, the color of the road will be somewhat less tan and somewhat more gray.

"The color will change slightly but the street will continue to have a rustic look," Cullem said.

Cullem said the work to grind down the ripples will be similar to that carried out on the new Carmel River Bridge, constructed in 1995 after the March flood destroyed the old bridge.

Cullem said it would be possible to make only spot improvements because the uniform appearance of the entire stretch of repaved road must be preserved.

"Yes, it has been rather like a washboard going down Ocean," said Mary Condry, president of the Carmel Residents Association. "People will be very glad when it is repaired."

SENIORS

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received and ended up losing more than $21,000 to con artists.

"We can't tell someone to not write a check. The less information you give out about yourself, the better," said Stryker.

Another common scam used against seniors is known as "phone slamming."

"Telephone companies will call you and offer a service you don't have," Stryker said. "Then they'll switch your service carrier without your OK."

According to Stryker, the best way to combat the scam is to request from your local phone carrier a "pic freeze," which can be made to the phone company requesting that a change in carrier be made only with prior consent.

Stryker also noted that junk mail should not just be thrown away into recycling bins at the post office.

"You might be throwing away a pre-approved credit card, and that can lead to problems if it gets into the wrong hands," Stryker said.

Journalist to speak at Monterey Library

ARTIST AND journalist Howard Brodie will present a free slide and lecture program at 7 p.m. Thursday, March 20 at Monterey Public Library, 625 Pacific St. in Monterey.

Brodie will describe his work as a battlefield sketch journalist for Life, Colliers, Yank and Associated Press during wars in the Pacific, Euorpe, Korea, Indochina and Vietnam. A collection of his work has been published recently in a book titled *Drawing Fire*.

Reservations/more information: 646-3949.

WATER ANALYSIS

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Cal-Am has made requests for permits from the district, the California Public Utilities Commission (PUC) and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, according to Cal-Am General Manager Larry Foy.

And the water district, despite the negative vote a year-and-a-half ago, will not be totally out of the picture. The PUC recently determined that the water district must serve as the lead agency on revising or supplementing environmental review associated with its own New Los Padres Dam, while Cal-Am fills the lead role as project applicant.

Cal-Am's dam would be the same in all aspects except for the fact that it would permit no new water for growth. All of its annual yield would have to go to drought reserve, improving river flows and making up for its historic over-pumping, as identified by state water officials.

Had it passed, Measure A likely would have forbidden the water district from transferring the New Los Padres Dam permits to Cal-Am. Because the measure failed, the battle to transfer or "license" the permits to the water company might be less tricky.

Now that the complexities of Measure A are beginning to fade from consciousness, people view the results of the March 4 mail ballot (58.5 percent voting no to 41.4 percent voting yes) through their personal biases.

Foy asserted that the results prove that voters believe Cal-Am's $98 million dam is an acceptable project now that the water company has proposed its no-growth feature.

"People saw this election as a kind of second referendum on the dam," Foy said.

Meanwhile, Fifth District Monterey County Supervisor Dave Potter, who serves on the water board and opposes the dam, disagreed, saying the election's outcome was not a statement about the dam or any other project.

■ **While the dam debate continues, progress has been** made for at least one promising alternative to the dam.

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(s) Daniel D.Balmerlee

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 10, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC320)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970440

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **WALKER, SMITH AND BOLEJACK REAL ESTATE SERVICES, 210 Capitol St., Suite 9, Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

MARCIA CAROLYN SMITH, 15276 Castroville Blvd. Castroville, CA. 95012.

This business is conducted by co-op.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/23/97.

(s) Marcia Carolyn Smith

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 23, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC323)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970439

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **WALKER, SMITH AND BOLEJACK REAL ESTATE SERVICES, 210 Capitol St., Suite 9, Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

JILLENE O. BOLEJACK, 1833 Delancey Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by co-op.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/23/97.

(s) Jillene O. Bolejack

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 28, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC324)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970365

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CALIFORNIA MOTORCYCLE INTERNATIONAL, 225 Crossroads Blvd., Suite 271, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

STILLWATER RESOURCE INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION, CA. 225 Crossroads, Blvd. #261 Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 12, 1997.

(s) Chauncey E. Schmidt, Jr.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb.19, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC332)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F962195

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ENZO'S PIZZA, 1501 Fremont Boulevard, Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

ENZO'S FOOD, INC. 1501 Fremonte Boulevard, Seaside, California, 93955.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Oct. 1, 1990.

(s) Vincent Costa, President

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 21, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC334)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970388

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **BABE'S BROWNIES, 3 SE Santa Rita/4th, Carmel, P.O. Box 1183, Carmel, Ca. 93921.**

WENDY S. FERGUSON, 3 SE Santa Rita/4th, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.

(s) Wendy S. Ferguson

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 21, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC335)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970475

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **DIGITAL DIAMONDS, 3052 Eddy Cir., Marina, Ca. 93933.**

MARKUS L. WILSON, 3052 Eddy Cir., Marina, Ca. 93933.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 7, 1997.

(s) Markus L. Wilson

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 7, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC336)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970185

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **OMEGA ADVERTISING, 969 Rosita, Del Rey Oaks, Ca. 93940.**

TIMOTHY DALE HILL, same as above.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 29, 1997.

(s) Tim Dale Hill

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 29, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC337)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970433

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MAIN EVENT LIMOUSINE's 551 Watson St., Monterey, Ca. P.O. Box 2751, Monterey, Ca. 93942.**

ANDRE JACQUES PLANCHON, 551 Watson St., Monterey, Ca. 93942.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Dec. 1, 1996.

(s) Andre Planchon

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 28, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC338)

STATEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL FROM PARTNERSHIP OPERATING UNDER FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
F-950984

The following person(s) NANCY STONE, DANIELLE STONE have withdrawn as a general partner(s) from the partnership operating under the fictitious business name of **AFTER THE FOX & CO. at 14465 Del Monte Frms. Rd., Castroville, Ca. 95012-9757.**

The fictitious business name statement for the partnership was filed on 5/25/95 in the County of Monterey.

The full name and residence of the person(s) withdrawing as a partner(s) **Danielle Ashley Stone, 14465 Del Monte Frms. Rd., Castroville, Ca. 95012 and Nancy Jo Stone, 14465 Del Monte Frms. Rd., Castroville, Ca. 95012.**

(s) Nancy Stone
Danielle Stone

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 21, 1997.

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(PC347)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F97042

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **COASTLINE BUSINESS FORMS, 1714 Contra Costa Street, Sand City, Ca. 93955.**

COASTLINE BUSINESS FORMS, 1714 Contra Costa Street, Sand City, Ca. 93955.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 1, 1976.

(s) Neal V. Owens, Pres.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 27, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC339)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970442

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **RUFFLES AND WOODS, 13995 Mtn. Quail Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93908.**

RUTH ANN WILLIAMS, 13995 Mt. Quail Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93908.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.

(s) Ruth-Ann Williams

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 28, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC340)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970363

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **Y'NOM ENTERTAINMENT, 1104 Broadway Center, Broadway Ave., Suite G, Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

RAMONE TRAHERN HYDE, 3056 Bostick Ave., Marina, Ca. 93933.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Ramone Hyde

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 19, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC342)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970285

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GREWELL DELIVERY SERVICE, 540 Hamilton Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

BONNIE KAYE GREWELL, 590 Hamilton Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.

This business is conducted by an independent.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 7, 1997.

(s) Bonnie K. Grewell

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 7, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC343)

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
F-931008

The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **REALTY WORLD REAL ESTATE PROFESSIONALS, INC. at 1002-B N. Davis Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93907.**

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on June 4, 1993.

REAL ESTATE PROFESSIONALS, INC. 1002-B N. Davis Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93907.

This business was conducted by a corporation.

(s) Norma L. Mills, president

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 4, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC341)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970216

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GARY HAEDRICH'S AUTO BODY, MARK'S BARN, SOLE PROPRIETOR, 654 Ortiz Ave., Sand City, Ca. 93955.**

GARY R. HAEDRICH, 1061 Lorenzo Ct., Seaside Ca. 93955.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/15/97.

(s) Gary R. Haedrick

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 31, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC345)

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea will conduct a public hearing in the City Hall Council Chambers, located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues, on Wednesday, 26 March 1997. The public hearings will be opened at **4:30 p.m.** or as soon thereafter as possible.

IF YOU CHALLENGE THE NATURE OF THE PROPOSED ACTION IN COURT, YOU MAY BE LIMITED TO RAISING ONLY THOSE ISSUES YOU OR SOMEONE ELSE RAISED AT THE PUBLIC HEARING DESCRIBED IN THIS NOTICE, OR IN WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE DELIVERED TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION OR THE CITY COUNCIL AT, OR PRIOR TO THE PUBLIC HEARING.

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Dated: March 7, 1997
Publication dates: March 13, 1996.

PLANNING COMMISSION
CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA
(s) Karen Worthington
Secretary of said Commission
(PC333)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970352

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **FINEARTE, RE CENTRAL, 1001 Funston Ave. #1, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**

RAYE E. MORIN, 25960 Junipero Ave., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

VERA AMBROSIO, 1001 Funston Ave. #1, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by co-partners.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 15, 1996.

(s) Raye E. Morin

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb.19, 1997.

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(PC348)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970305

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **POPEYE'S CUSTOM CYCLES, 60 Malarin St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

RANDY MICHAEL MONIGHETTI, 1753 Donner Cir., Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/97.

(s) Randy Monighetti

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb.10, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.

(PC344)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970328

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **FOX 'N' HORN, 14465 Del Monte Farms Road, Elkhorn, California, 95012-9757.**

NANCY STONE, 14465 Del Monte Farms, Elkhorn, Ca. 95012.

DANIELLE STONE, 14465 Del Monte Farms, Elkhorn, Ca. 95012.

This business is conducted by a general partnership.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.

(s) Danielle Stone

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 12, 1997.

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(PC346)

MEASURE A

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Improving technology for the so-called "injection-recovery" method of storing and accessing large volumes of water underground is giving district officials reason for optimism.

The project would include capturing Carmel River water during periods of peak flow and pumping about 1,300 acre-feet a year to the Seaside aquifer.

Even in the best-case scenario, the proposed injection-recovery project can only make up for about one-seventh of the water that Cal-Am needs to make up according to the state's 1995 order.

MPWMD Chairman Dick Ely, who generally favors a dam, said there is logic to expanding the concept of a "reservoir" to include underground as well as surface storage.

The price appears right too, as tentative estimates indicate the capital costs of enhancing the underground piping system may be as little as $1.4 million, according to MPWMD General Manager Darby Fuerst.

"This is clearly the most immediate and least costly alternative to the dam," Fuerst said.

A "demonstration project" for injection-recovery should be ready by next winter, Fuest said.

According to the general manager, the alternative of developing an ocean water desalting plant has appeared less promising, both in terms of cost and feasibility.

Another advantage of injection-recovery is that some of the water yield could be used for municipal needs, Feurst said. The two-year-old state order exempts the Seaside basin from a rule that applies elsewhere — all new sources of water must go entirely to making up river overdrafting.

■ **While the dam is** years away and the injection-recovery project does not yet offer definite answers, the water district is taking steps to address immediate human needs, despite the water shortage.

According to Fuerst, the district will consult with the County of Monterey and its member cities — Carmel, Monterey, Pacific Grove, Seaside, Sand City, Del Rey Oaks — to determine the number of vacant lots and expected remodels that will need water in the coming years.

The purpose of the exercise, Fuerst said, is to separate the needs of the existing population from those of subdi-

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SETTLEMENT

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money. He sought to restore his reputation."

In 1992, while Getz was a former elder and current member of the foundation board, the two men clashed on financial matters pertaining to the use of foundation funds.

The church retained a conflict-mediation consultant, Jack Longley of San Jose's Trinity Presbyterian Church, who issued a report that contained Wilson's allegedly defamatory statements about Getz.

The dispute had a polarizing effect within the flock as many church members took sides with the litigants. "This whole thing has been very distracting to our mission, which is to tell people about Jesus Christ," Davidson said.

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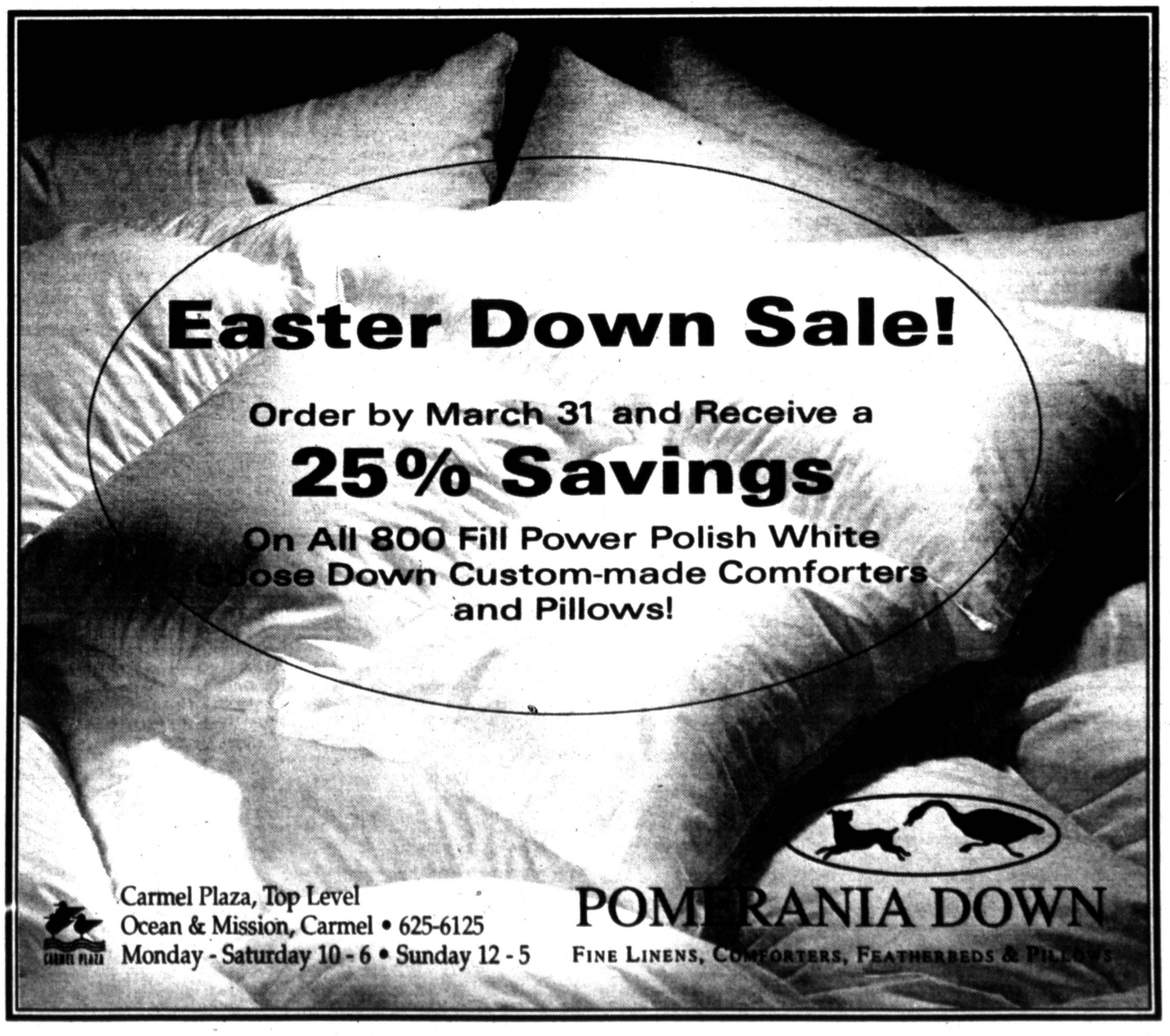
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Public notices

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970213

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ARCHIPELACO PRODUCTIONS, A DIVISION OF HARCOURT BRACE & COMPANY, 70 Garden Court, Ste. 300, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

SANDRA CONROY, 70 Garden Ct., Ste. 300 Mtry. Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by a Division of Harcourt Brace & Co.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/15/96.

(s) Sandra Conroy

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 31, 1997.

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(PC263)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970380

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **HEALTHY OPTIONS, 3855 Via Nona Marie, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

LAURA A. REED, 12 Lazy Oaks, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/1/97.

(s) Laura A. Reed

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 21, 1997.

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(PC264)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970205

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CYPRESS POINT CONSULTING, 1405A Piumas Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

JESSE D. WORTHEN, 1485 A. Piumas Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/30/97.

(s) Jesse D. Worthen

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 30, 1997.

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(PC267)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970273

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MONTEREY PENINSULA UMPIRES ASSOCIATION, 2010 Sunset, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**

WILLIAM BORIS URETSKY, 411 Granite Street, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by a joint venture.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/06/97.

(s) William B. Uretsky

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 6, 1997.

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(PC269)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970082

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CLASSIC TOWING, 756 Verlin Ave., #6, Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

PEDRO GONZALEZ, 12903 Arthur St. Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/15/97.

(s) Pedro M. Gonzalez

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 13, 1997.

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(PC270)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970296

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GREEN CAB, 13 Brooklyn, Pajaro, Ca. 95076.**

LUIS J. LOMELI, 13 Brooklyn, Pajaro, Ca. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Luis J. Lomeli

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 7, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1997.

(PC287)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970198

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **LAURA'S INCOME TAX SERVICE, 40614 El Camino Real, Suite B. Greenfield, Ca. 93927.**

LAURA E. GUILLEN, 1294 West St., Soledad,Ca. 93960.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/06/97.

(s) Laura E. Guillen

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 30, 1997.

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(PC268)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970383

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MAVERICK ENTERPRISES, 18 Dunecrest Ave., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

MICHAEL WAYNE NORMAN, 18 Dunecrest Ave., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/1/76.

(s) Michael Wayne Norman

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 21, 1997.

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(PC288)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970382

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **SHERRY LEWIS CONSTRUCTION, License #732359. 30315 Chualar Cyn. Rd., Chualar, Ca. 93925.**

SHARON L. LEWIS, 30315 Chualar Cyn. Rd., Chualar, Ca. 93925.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/21/97

(s) Sharon L. Lewis

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 21, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1997.

(PC286)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F962361

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **THE CULTURE GAP, Garrapata Canyon (P.O. Box 223343) Carmel, Ca. 93922.**

SUSAN N. BARNETT, Garrapata Canyon, (P.O. Box 223343) Carmel, Ca. 93922.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/15/96.

(s) Susan N. Barnett

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 20, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1997.

(PC265)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970159

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CONSTRUCTION UNLIMITED, 241 Reindollar Ave., Marina, Ca. 93933.**

DAN SCHOENBRUN, 241 Reindollar, Marina, Ca. 93933.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/27/97.

(s) Dan Schoenbrun

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1997.

(PC284)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970290

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **KLAJ ENTERPRISES, 1260 John St., A-1, Salinas, Ca. 93905.**

KEVIN MICHAEL McKAY, 1260 John St., A-1 Salinas, California 93905.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/7/97.

(s) Kevin McKay

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 7, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1997.

(PC283)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970284

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CURTIS LANDSCAPE SERVICES, 111 Hidden Valley Rd., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.**

JOSEPH T. CURTIS, 111 Hidden Valley Rd., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 7, 1997.

(s) Joseph T. Curtis

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 7, 1997.

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(PC281)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970242

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CARMEL CUTLERY, 6th and Dolores, Carmel, Ca. 93921.**

SCOTT AUTREY, 567 Iris, Watsonville, Ca. 95076.

TANYA JOHNSON, 660-36th Ave., Santa Cruz, Ca. 95062.

This business is conducted by co-partners.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 2, 1994.

(s) Tanya Johnson,
(s) Scott Autrey

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 4, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1997.

(PC280)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970241

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **HIGHER GROUND COFFEEHOUSE/ BOOKSTORE 3056 Del Monte Blvd., Suite #204, Marina, Ca. 93933.**

DONA S. PUTNAM, 3115 Flower Circle, Marina, CA. 93933.

LARRY BRYCE PUTNAM, 3115 Flower Circle, Marina, CA. 93933.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 1, 1997.

(s) Dona S. Putnam

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 4, 1997.

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(PC271)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970115

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GOOD VIBRATIONS MOBILE DISC JOCKEYS, 21 Primrose Cir., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

MARTIN D. SATOW, 21 Primrose Cir., Seaside, Ca. 93955.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/22/92.

(s) Martin D. Satow

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 21, 1997.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970292

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **K.L.A.S.S. 1879 Jacklyn Court, Watsonville, Ca. 95076.**

MARK STEVEN KAPLAN, 1879 Jacklyn Ct., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/7/97.

(s) Mark Kaplan

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 7, 1997.

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(PC273)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970322

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CHIC TO CHIC, JW Enterprises, 380 Foam St., Ste A., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

JUDITH W. FREY, 520 10th St., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/25/97.

(s) Judith W. Frey

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 11, 1997.

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(PC274)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970260

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CHATEL & CO. 104 Crossroads Blvd. Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

CHATEL INC. Carmel, 104 Crossroads Blvd., Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 5, 1997.

(s) Hugues Beck, president

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 5, 1997.

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(PC275)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970268

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MEDICAL-LEGAL CONSULTING, 139 Auburn St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

JAMES WOODS, MD, 344 Riker St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.

(s) James Woods, M.D.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 5, 1997.

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(PC276)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970287

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MOBILE RADIO ENGINEERS, 955 Cesar Chavez Blvd., San Francisco, CA. 94124.**

MOBILE RADIO ENGINEERS, L.L.C., Oregon, One Southwest Columbia, Suite 1500, Portland, Oregon 97258-2079.

This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/97.

(s) Frank Vanderbilt, Vice-president

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 3, 1997.

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(PC258)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970386

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **NUTS TO YOU, 200 Redwood Rd. Corralitos, Calif. 95076.**

DAVE ESTEBAN, 200 Redwood Rd., Corralitos, Calif. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Dave Esteban

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 21, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC301)

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
F-960750

The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **B.J. MENDELSOHN ASSOCIATES at 225 The Crossroads #368 Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on 4/22/96.

BERT J. MENDELSOHN, 225 The Crossroads #368, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business was conducted by Bert J. Mendelsohn, an individual.

(s) Bert Mendelsohn

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 20, 1997.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
D-17869

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED JULY 9, 1996. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY IT WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC SALE, IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

On March 20, 1997, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. on said day, at the main entrance of the Monterey County Courthouse, Monterey Branch, 1200 Aguajito Road, City of Monterey, County of Monterey, State of California, Donald C. Bowen as present Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for the consideration described below herein, tendered at the time of sale, the following real property situated on Lobos Street, Carmel, California, more particularly described as certain real property situated in Monterey County, California, namely:

Lot Numbered 12, in Block Numbered 19, as said Lot and Block are shown on that certain map entitled, "Map of Carmel City, Monterey County, Ca., Surveyed by W.C. Little, April 1888 in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California, in Volume 1 of Maps, "Cities and Towns," at Page 52.

The undersigned trustee disclaims any liability for the incorrectness of address or common desigation of the property to be sold.

Said real property bears assessor's parcel number 010-011-014.

The consideration for the sale of the real property must be payable at the time of sale and must be in cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings assocation or savings bank specified by Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in the State of California.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances to satisfy the obligations secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in a certain Deed of Trust executed by Charles A. Kurtz and Janet Raylene Kurtz, as Trustors, recorded July 15, 1996 in Reel 3394, Page 710, Official Records of Monterey County, California.

The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Trustee's Sale is $50,277.22.

The name, address, and telephone number of the entity conducting the sale are:

Donald C. Bowen
P.O. Box 4335
Carmel, California 93921
Tel. No. (408) 625-5581

The name, address, and telephone number of the present beneficiary(ies) of said Deed of Trust and the holder(s) of the note for which Deed of Trust is security, and at whose request this sale is to be conducted are:

Donald C. Bowen and Judith A. Bowen,
Trustee of the Bowen Family Trust
P.O. Box 4335
Carmel, California 93921
Tel. No. (408) 625-5581.

The subject real property has no street address or other common designation, however, directions as to the location of said real property may be obtained pursuant to written request submitted to the beneficiary(ies) at the above address within ten (10) days from the first publication of this notice.

(s) Donald C. Bowen
Present Trustee under said Deed of Trust
Publication dates: Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 1997.
(PC285)

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(PC302)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970367

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **THE DELPHI GROUP, 13 Shepherd's Knoll, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.**

LOTTE B. MENDELSOHN & BERT J. MENDELSOHN, 13 Shepherd's Knoll, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.

BERT. J. MENDELSOHN, 13 Shepherd's Knoll, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.

This business is conducted by husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/26/96.

(s) Lotte B. Mendelsohn

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 20, 1997.

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(PC303)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970175

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PERSONAL TOUCH FOLLOW-UP SYSTEMS, 1235 San Angelo Drive, Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

ELIZABETH BAYLES KNAFLA, same as above.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/30/90.

(s) Elizabeth B. Knafla

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 28, 1997.

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(PC304)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970259

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CALIFORNIA CREATIVE LISTS, 700 Cass St. #106, P.O. Box 1128, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

GARY M. RUSSELL, 747 Lyndon, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/01/97.

(s) Gary M. Russell

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 5, 1997.

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(PC305)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970133

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **DELPHIC ASSOCIATES, A Pacific Heights, 1 Lorraine Court, Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

GHERI SNIDER, Ph.D., same as above.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/21/97.

(s) Gheri Snider, Ph.D.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 23, 1997.

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(PC306)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970381

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **INNSCAPE, 128 5th St., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**

FERNE JANNIS HALGREN, 128 5th St., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 1, 1997.

(s) Ferne Jannis Halgren

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 21, 1997.

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(PC307)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970358

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CELEBRATIONS TO CHERISH, 3130 Pico Ave., Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

BARBARA COGBILL, 3130 Pica Ave., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/96.

(s) Barbara Cogbill

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 19, 1996.

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(PC308)

Briefly Speaking

Friday: Carmel police to hold open house

THE CARMEL Police Department will hold its annual open house from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Friday.

The public is invited to tour the station (Junipero and Fourth), the firing range, the radio room, and the emergency operations center, as well as meet Chief Don Fuselier and members of his department.

Refreshments will be served.

More information: 624-6403.

Friday: Video to shown in Carmel Valley

A VIDEO based on Carol Lynn Pearson's play "Mother Wove The Morning," will be shown at 7 p.m. Friday in Fellowship Hall at Carmel Valley Community Chapel, located on Paso Hondo and Village Drive.

In her one-woman performance, Pearson appears sequentially as 16 women from history, including a Paleolithic woman, a Shaker, a feminist and a witch.

The screening is sponsored by the Chapel's Women's Connection as a celebration of Women's History Month. Admission is free.

More information: 659-3933 or 659-3758.

Saturday: Annual cutting day, faire due

MONTEREY PARKS Division's 41st annual Cutting Day and Horticultural Faire will begin at 9 a.m. Saturday in Friendly Plaza, Monterey.

Residents are asked to bring their plants and cuttings to a drop-off point located on Pierce Street. Ice plants are discouraged in favor of native plant materials.

In addition to gathering cuttings, this year's event will include displays on drought-tolerant plants, bonsais, drip irrigation and composting. Experts will offer advice on native seedling planting and collect plastic pots for recycling.

More information: 646-3860.

Saturday: College of Law's free forum

MONTEREY COLLEGE of Law will offer a free "Legal Career Forum" from 10 a.m. to noon Saturday at its campus located on 404 Franklin St. in Monterey.

MCL graduates will speak about their law school experiences and the careers they have chosen. Attendees will also have the opportunity to ask questions regarding curriculum, admission procedures, tuition costs, LSAT scores, etc.

Reservations may be made by calling 373-3301.

Monday: Carmel Woman's Club to meet

THE CARMEL Woman's Club's annual spring fashion show and catered luncheon will be held at 11 a.m. Monday at the organization's clubhouse, Ninth and San Carlos. *(Please note that last week's 'Briefly Speaking' item incorrectly stated the event would be held on Tuesday.)*

A feature of this year's show will be "wearable art," and proceeds of the event will benefit a local charity.

The cost is $18.

Reservations: 624-1487/372-2034.

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March 5 Spiritual Health
March 12 Family Issues and Decision Making
Classes take place from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Call for location and registration information.
Registration is required. You may join at any time.

■ **Cancer Concerns in the '90s**

A public information series

Meet the Experts: Nutrition and Cancer
Panel members: Lisa Holden, RN, and Teresa Doran
What foods do help prevent cancer? What can I eat if I already have cancer? What's a good supplement? Come learn the facts about prevention and nutrition during cancer treatment.
Thursday, March 20 • 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. • Community Hospital conference rooms
Co-sponsored by the Comprehensive Cancer Center and the American Cancer Society

■ **Good Grief For Kids**

Do you know a child who is grieving the loss of someone special? This program helps kids know they are not alone and that their feelings are normal. The next session begins with Parent Orientation on April 15. Call 625-4753 for information or to register.

■ **After Breast Cancer Surgery: Reaching for Full Recovery**

For women who have had breast cancer, the need for information doesn't end with surgery. Learn how to prevent lymphedema, ways to exercise your arm and shoulder, and options for maintaining your silhouette. Join other women who share your experience, including American Cancer Society *Reach to Recovery* volunteers.

Thursday, March 13 • 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.
Community Hospital, Conference Room C
Registration is required.

■ **Smoking Cessation Support Group**

Facilitated by our *Stop Smoking* instructors. This regular meeting offers you the encouragement and support you need to quit your tobacco habit.

Every Friday • 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Community Hospital, Classroom 1
Registration is not required. You may join at any time.

■ **Cancer Wellness ©**

The Cancer Wellness program brings the mind-body connection into your daily activities. Focus on your emotional, psychological, and educational needs. Cancer patients and support persons welcome.

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■ **Breast Cancer Support Group**

Do you feel the need to talk with other women who share your concerns about having breast cancer? Join this very special group of women for encouragement, support, and information.

Every Thursday
1:00 to 2:30 p.m. — or — 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.
Call 625-4753 for the location.
Registration is required.

■ **Cancer Education and Support Services for Families and Caregivers**

Cancer is a chronic illness that affects each family member and significant other. Services available include information for caregivers, individualized family support, and special programs for children. For an appointment, call the Comprehensive Cancer Center at 625-4753.

■ **Breast Self-Examination (BSE)**

Do you feel uncomfortable doing BSE? Do you worry about what you might find and how you will know if it is significant? Our BSE instructors will teach you this life-saving skill in a way that gives you a sense of control and confidence. Do something special for yourself.

Monday, March 3 • 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.
Mammography Center, 880 Cass St., Monterey
To register, call 372-6106.

Our specially trained BSE instructors are also available to come to your workplace or women's meeting. Call 625-4753 for more information.

All of our programs are free. For more information or to register, call the Comprehensive Cancer Center at 625-4753.

Comprehensive Cancer Center
Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula

OUR OUTLOOK

Importance of minority view

IN OUR special report last week analyzing the two political camps within the ranks of the Carmel Valley Property Owners Association, the Outlook quoted Zan Henson as saying, "Being in the minority on any board isn't worth all that much."

Henson, who earlier this month failed to unseat incumbent CVPOA President Chris Cayce in the officers' election, may have been talking about a practical reality: Without a majority, you can't accomplish your immediate objectives.

But from a broader standpoint, the statement is wrong: A minority standing is worth quite a lot.

For starters, the continued power base of the "moderates" over the "protectionists" (our labels) on the 15-member CVPOA board is not necessarily a permanent one. Today's minority voting "bloc" may be the "building block" of tomorrow's power structure. Politics in a democracy is all about shifting centers.

Most of the people quoted in last week's special report asserted that a diversity of viewpoints on the board is healthy, as it encourages rich fodder for debate, which inevitably affects the quality of deliberations. The views of the minority have an impact, although the influence may remain dormant for some time.

Cases in point

We in the media sometimes cannot resist giving attention to the "lone holdouts." One example from recent memory was Lou Haddad and his opposition to the New Los Padres Dam in 1995.

While the water board endorsed the controversial project (without director Haddad's cooperation), Peninsula voters rejected the project through Measure C in November of that year.

In hindsight, Haddad's position on the water board gave him a platform from which to broadcast his opposition. In his commentaries, statements and letters to the editor, his arguments carried more weight than those offered by an ordinary citizen with arguably no clout. Haddad also had greater access to the media.

There are numerous other examples of how minorities become majorities over time. In Marina, Jim Vocelka was elected mayor in 1994 but, to his frustration, without

*See **OUR OUTLOOK** page 11*

Parents Club plays pivotal role in Tularcitos' march into 2000

By VIRGINIA PARKE

FOR ME, school was lumpy white paste, a solitary desk, no talking, a teacher in front of endless rows of desks reading words or writing on a blackboard.

I spent hours copying letters and numbers using a yellow pencil with no eraser. I was rendered speechless by verbal spelling competitions. Reading featured Dick, Jane and Spot going up and down hills.

Those days are over. Carmel Valley's Tularcitos Elementary School is an example of changes now sweeping the educational system in California.

"We strive to create a strong academic and supportive learning environment," said Karin Camilli, principal. "It takes cooperation, commitment and communication between parents, staff and students."

Entering a classroom is like slipping into a softly flowing creek. Activity ripples throughout the room. Students Robin Reid and Lauren Steege sit in a corner quietly reading to each other. Teacher Phyllis Thorngate sits with a group discussing the scientific principles involved in the plants they are growing.

The activity continues in another corner as teacher's aid Carla Koontz encourages a reading assignment discussion between two students. Another small group is working on language skills.

Develop potential

Daniel Kenitzer gets a helpful hint from a fellow student on his word sound study sheet.

Daniel Kenitzer

"My mother would have a hard time with this level of activity," Camilli says. "Gone on the days of competitive study; it is no longer who is the best. Now we strive to develop every student's potential while encouraging mutual support."

"This would not be possible without the support of the Tularcitos Parents Club," Camilli said as she stepped into the 30-unit computer lab. "This year, it has provided grants for field trips, software, a laser disc player in the video library, camcorders and editing equipment, science programs, a drama coach, an artist in residence, fees for our upper grade PE program at the Community Pool, and many hour of volunteer time."

PHOTOS/VIRGINIA PARKE

Saturday night's 'Spring Fling,' benefiting Tularcitos School, is looking like a sell-out affair (see story below). Committee members are: (back row) Lee Rankin, Karin Camilli, Stacie Crane, Mary Neimy and Christine Steinberg; (middle row) Sally Dietrich, Phyliss Cahoon, president Kim Birdsong and June Saunders; (front row) Judi Pospishil and Elaine Bennett.

Established in 1950, Tularcitos now serves 558 students with 26 full-time teachers for grades kindergarten through fifth grade. There are two part-time teachers handling special educational needs. Class size ranges between 20 to 27 students.

How it fits together

In another room, artist Susan Dorf shows a small group of students how to draw a self-portrait. Small hands fly to faces feeling how eyes, noses, mouth and ears fit together. One young artist pulls at her blonde hair, testing to see how far down it comes on her forehead.

Principal Karin Camilli

"We seek to train both intellectual and creative learning," Camilli noted. "Balancing basic skill with reality is vital. What do you do with what you are learning in the real world. Problem solving and teamwork are important tools for our students."

The school is a productive blend of art, science and technology. In 1996, more than 50 percent of upper-grade Tularcitos students scored in the top 25 percent in the nation on basic skill achievement tests.

"We could not do this without the fund raising and volunteer hours turned in by our Parents Club," Camilli said.

Kim Birdsong, president of the Tularcitos Parents Club, said "the major mission of the club is to encourage and sup-

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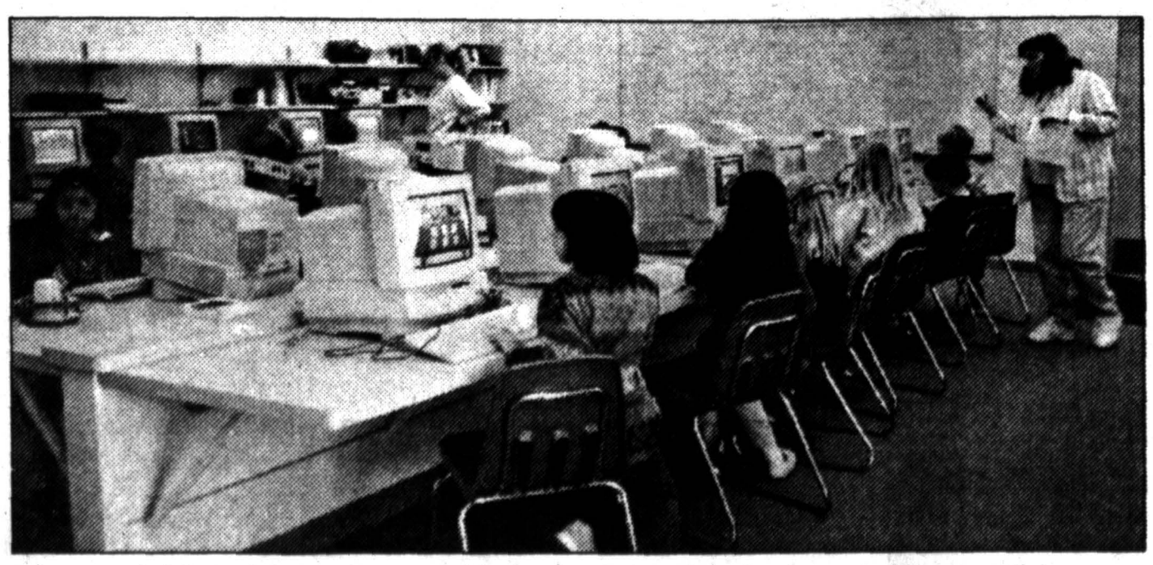


Tularcitos School's 30-unit computer lab became a reality, thanks to the Parents Club.

'Spring Fling' to unfold on Saturday night

TULARCITOS SCHOOL'S annual Spring Fling, featuring dinner and dancing as well as silent and live auctions, is scheduled for 6 p.m. to midnight Saturday at Hidden Valley Music Seminars.

The auction will feature about 250 items, including three-night accommodations for up to 10 individuals at a Lake Tahoe cabin, computer lessons, a signed lithograph from artist Lynn Lupetti, golf for four with a cart at Quail Lodge and a shopping spree at Carmel Plaza.

Kim Birdsong, Tularcitos Parents Club president, has spearheaded the event along with committee members Tina Adams, Nettie Porter, Lee Rankin, Stacie Crane, Mary Neimy, Christine Steinberg, Sally Dietrick, Phyllis Cahoon, Judi Pospishil, Elaine Bennett and June Saunders.

Tickets are $35 and can be purchased in advance by calling Michelle at Tularcitos School at 659-2276. Also, a limited number of tickets will be available at the door on Saturday.

Event organizers expect 200 people in attendance Saturday night.

More information: 624-7813.

— By Virginia Parke

PLAY BALL!

'97 CV Little League season ready to open

By JERRY STEWART

ANTICIPATING MORE kids than ever, Carmel Valley Little League officials and volunteers are busy preparing for the 1997 season, which is scheduled to begin next month.

Nearly 300 boys and girls, ranging in age from 5 to 12 years old, will play in the league, which holds its games at DeDamPierre Park.

"Our numbers are growing rapidly," said Peter Dew, league president. "Twenty years ago we only had 50 kids. Now we just keep growing every year."

The league features three levels of competition, as well as a T-ball and girls' softball program.

"Kids play baseball for a million reasons," said league secretary Deborah Warcken. "Whether it's influence from friends, parents or whatever."

To meet budgetary needs, revenue for the league is generated through a candy drive, business sponsorship of teams and the leasing of advertising space at the field.

"About 50 businesses rent billboard space every year for $150 per space," said Dew. "Most of the businesses are local, but some are from Salinas and Monterey. There's a lot of dead time in baseball so people remember the names being advertised."

A year-end raffle brings in a few thousand dollars as well.

"Last year we raffled off a trip to Hawaii and the year before that we had a car," said Dew. "We'll try to get something at cost and then try to generate interest."

According to Dew, the biggest expense facing the league every year is the cost of uniforms.

Field maintenance

Dew noted that Carmel Valley Little League is different from other local leagues because the field at DeDamPierre Park is maintained by volunteers, not city employees.

"We have a huge volunteer force, and we appreciate all of them," said Dew. "We pay outside individuals to prep the field but other than that it's all volunteers."

Like Carmel Youth Baseball, CV Little League also gets a special rate in leasing its playing field.

The space at DeDamPierre Park, which was donated to the Monterey Regional Park District by the DeDamPierre family, is leased to the league by the park district for only $1 a year.

"Our goals for this year are to update the snack bar and to renovate the restrooms," Dew said.

Future goals include possibly building a new field at the current site.

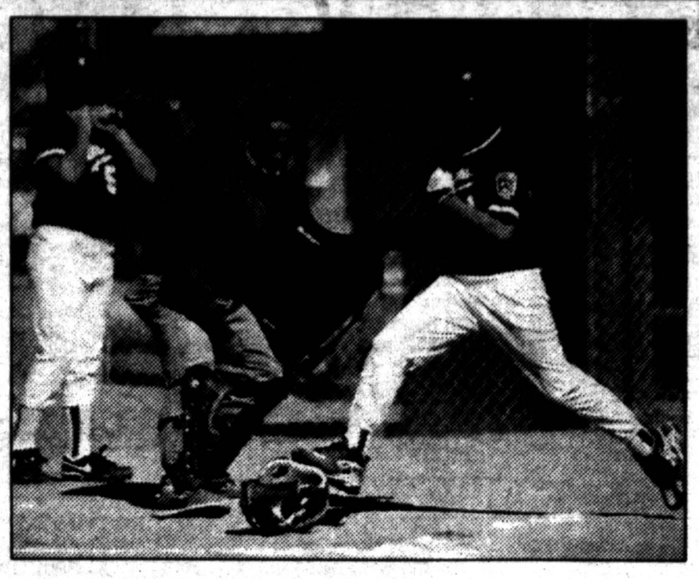
As it is now, two baseball diamonds are shared by the Little League and girls' softball program.

"The two fields we have are great but we'd like to have another one," Dew said. "We're running out of space."

Nonetheless, Dew said the league's No. 1 goal will remain the same as always.

"We want the kids to have a great time and play baseball."

Opening Day festivities will usher in the '97 season on Saturday, April 12.



Home plate umpire Fred Herro is right on the action as an Indians player scores last year. Opening Day ceremonies for the 1997 Carmel Valley Little League season are scheduled for Saturday, April 12.

OUR OUTLOOK

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the benefit of having a council majority. Two years later, he is leading a majority voting bloc and, without a doubt, has asserted himself as the voice of his city.

Just as discouragement frequently follows an election, hope of change springs eternal in a democratic system. Henson did not gain a place on the board, but some like-minded people have retained spots. And anyone fortunate enough to be on the inside shouldn't count themselves out.

TULARCITOS: 'Spring Fling' 1 of 3 big events

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port parent participation."

She said the club sponsors three major events each year — Saturday's Spring Fling, the Read-a-thon and the Fall Festival. All of the parents, school staff and volunteers contribute to these and other activities throughout the school year. These events make our grant program possible.

The Read-a-thon, headed this year by Ioni Zabala and Ineke Balyon, recently raised $7,500 for the library. The names of the top readers are placed on a plaque on the wall in the library. The program raises more than money, it encourages reading skills.

There are many ways to support Tularcitos Elementary School: Volunteering time and talent makes a difference Looking into the eyes of a student with care and encouragement counts, too.

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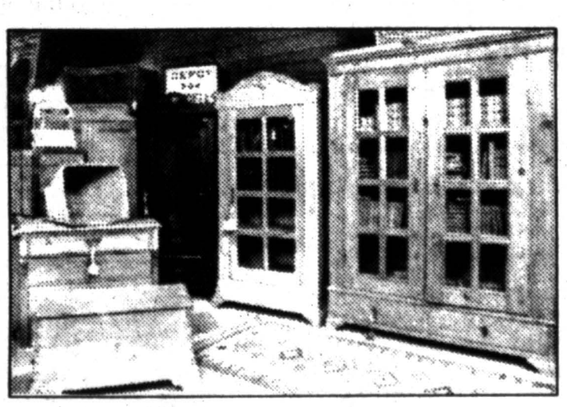

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970317

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GPS 1027 Benito Ave., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950. Mail add: P.O. Box 6005, Monterey, Ca. 93944-1005.)**

GERARD P. SOBNOSKY 1027 Benito Ave. Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 15, 1997.

(s) Gerard P. Sobnosky

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 11, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC260)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970144

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **UNITED LIQUID WASTE COMPANY, INC. 29300 Pacific St., Hayward, Ca. 94531.**

ELIO CHIAPPE, California, 3330 Dunes Dr., Marina, Ca. 93933.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/26/92.

(s) Elio Chiappe, president

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 24, 1997

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC232)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970182

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **SUNFLOWER FAMILY ANTIQUES & GIFTS, 869A Abbott St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

JOHN CARL WHITACRE, 12867 Jasper Way, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

DIANE LOUISE WHITACRE, 12867 Jasper Way, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 1, 1997.

(s) John Whitacre

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC261)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970091

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MOONLIGHT INK, 763 Leese Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93907.**

DONNIE RAY VICKERS, 763 Leese Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93907.

JOANNE MARIE VICKERS, 763 Leese Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93907.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 1997.

(s) Donnie R. Vickers

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 15, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC262)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970201

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **TEAM ADVENTURES, 1855 East Ave. Sand City, Ca. 93955.**

DAVID W. PHILLIPS, 802 Sunset #G, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an unincorporated association other than a partnership.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/93.

(s) David W. Phillips

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 30, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC259)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970155

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **DESIGN STUDIO, 467 Alvarado,Suite 3, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

JENNIFER BIANCUCCI, 1056 Windham Bay Circle, Fresno, Ca. 93720.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 1, 1997.

(s) Jennifer Biancucci

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC249)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970299

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **C&N CONSULTING, 579 INCA Way, Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

CHERYL E. SHIELDS, 579 Inca, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

NORMA L. MILLS, 18795 VanBuren, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by co-partners.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 10, 1997.

(s) Cheryl E. Shields

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 7, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC250)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970230

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ANNETTE YEE AND COMPANY, 27205 Meadows Road, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

ANNETTE T.P. YEE, 27205 Meadows Road, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/9/96.

(s) Annette T.P. Yee

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 3, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC251)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970298

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **WESTERN WILDFIRE RESOURCES, 36905 Dormody Road, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

ROBERT H. DORMODY, 36905 Dormody Road, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 7, 1997.

(s) Robert H. Dormody

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 7, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC252)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970310

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **SALT & PEPPER CAFE, 13 W. Carmel Valley Rd., CV, CA. 93924.**

ROSE MARY MARTIN, 243 Spruce Ave., P.G., Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.

(s) Rose M. Martin

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 10, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC253)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970147

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **THE SUN ENTERTAINMENT RECREATION & NEWS WEEKLY, 26515 Carmel Rancho Blvd., Suite 201, Carmel, Ca. 93922.**

ELIZABETH EGAN COWLEY, 219 Watson #C, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

JOANNA LANGFIELD, 115 Grand Apt. D. Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by a general partnership.

(s) Elizabeth Cowley
(s) Joanna Langfield

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 24, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC256)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970131

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ROOM SERVICE, 915 Hilby #27, Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

JANICE M. BANASZEK, 1112 Arroyo Dr., Pebble Beach, 93953.

JANICE M. EVANS, 9528 Bay Ct., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by co-partners.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 1, 1997.

(s) Janice M. Banaszek

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 22, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC254)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970334

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **STONED EARTH PRODUCTS, 24726 Cabrillo St., Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

VICTOR NEVIN SCHWIEN, 24726 Cabrillo St., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/14/97.

(s) Victor Schwien

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 13, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC255)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970713

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **FOREST LANDSCAPE, 798 Lighthouse AVe. #180, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

THOMAS J. KNODEL, 798 Lighthouse Ave. #180, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 22, 1997.

(s) Thomas J. Knodel

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 28, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC257)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970211

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GOFER DELIVERY SERVICE, 27680 Schulte Rd., Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

HUGH LEDDY, 27680 Schulte Rd., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

SUSAN LEDDY, 27680 Schulte Rd., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

(s) Hugh Leddy,
(s) Susan Leddy

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 30, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1997.

(PC266)

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
F-941545

The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **DOLLARS & CENTS RECYCLING at 1381 G. Dayton St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on 8-12-1994.

URSULA DENNER, 1525 Halt Brook Dr., San Jose, Ca. 95118.

This business was conducted an individual.

(s) Ursula Denner

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 18, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC327)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970153

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **THE CORNERSTONE GROUP, 214 Ridge Road, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**

LISA CAROL BENNETT, 214 Ridge Road, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 1, 1997.

(s) Lisa C. Bennett

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC309)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970402

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **HORIZON DISTRIBUTING, 1165 Third St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

SEAN PAUL FORD, 1165 Third St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by individual.

(s) Sean Ford

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 25, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC310)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970344

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **THE VACATION STATION, 1243 De Cunha Ct., Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

SHARON MARKS 1243 De Cunha Ct., Salinas, Ca. 93906.

WILLIAM MARKS, same as above.

This business is conducted by husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 5-1-97.

(s) Sharon Marks

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 18, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC311)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970394

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ISLAND TAN, 786 Wave St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

SEAN PAUL CROCE, 4071 Mora Lane, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.

GARY FRANKLIN AMBROSIA, 4071 Mora Lane, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.

This business is conducted by co-partners.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/20/97.

(s) Sean Croce

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 24, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC315)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970163

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **J. WIND DESIGNS, GRAY FOX FORCE & FABRICATION, GRAY FOX FARM, 49220 Martinez Rd., Lockwood, Ca. 93932.**

JERRY L. HEY, 49220 Martinez Rd., Lockwood, Ca. 93932.

JOY MALIS HEY, 49220 Martinez Rd., Lockwood, Ca. 93932.

This business is conducted by husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1-27-97.

(s) Joy Malis-Hey

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC316)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970325

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PACIFIC CONTINENTAL TRUSS, INC. 1051 Industrial Way, King City, Ca. 93930.**

PACIFIC CONTINENTAL WOOD PRODUCTS, INC. - California, same as above.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1-1-91.

(s) Sandra L. Ellis

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 12, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC319)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970416

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **VALLEY AG. MANAGEMENT, 635 Sanborn Place #2 , Salinas, Ca. 93908.**

CHRIS BURNETT, 2132 Alisal Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93908.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/1/97.

(s) Chris Burnett

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 26, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC312)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970337

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **INWARD BOUND VENTURES, 100 Campus Center/Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

ALFRIEDA WILKINS, 1534 Devers Ct., Marina, Ca. 93933.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 1, 1997 in Ca. 1981 in IL.

(s) Alfrieda Wilkins

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 14, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970319

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **RYLAND ANIMAL CARE, 166 Carmelito Ave. #A, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

ALTAS TIERRA PROPERTIES, INC. 166 Carmelito AVe. #A, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/1/97.

(s) Treasurer Theresa Hyland

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 11, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970040

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PRIORITY BUSINESS AND INFORMATION SERVICES, 580 San Juan Grade Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

BRUCE ARMOUR, 630 Oregon St., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1-1-97.

(s) Bruce Armour

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 7, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC317)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970350

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PACIFIC COAST SOILS, CHURCH'S LANDSCAPE SUPPLY, 470 Hidden Valley Rd., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.**

GLENN CHURCH, 470 Hidden Valley Rd., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 20, 1997.

(s) Glenn Church

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 19, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC325)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970347

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **DOLLARS & CENTS RECYCLING, 1381 G. Dayton St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

JOE MAZZUCA, 1933 San Miguel Cyn. Rd. Prunedale, Ca. 93907.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1-1-97.

(s) JOE MAZZUCA

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 18, 1997.

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(PC326)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970448

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CALCUTTERS, 256 Lighthouse Ave., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

KELLY JAY KENDALL, 315 Junipero St., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 3, 1997.

(s) Kelly Jay Kendall

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 3, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC328)

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
F-950613

The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **CAL CUTTERS at 256 Lighthouse Ave., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on March 29, 1995.

Jack Lee #2 Crescent Ct., Mont. Ca. 93940.

This business was conducted an individual.

(s) Jack Lee

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 3, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC329)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970301

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GOLDEN STATE COFFEE SERVICES, 723 E. Lake Ave., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.**

ROBERT P. GILLIGAN, 525 Stevenson St., Salinas, Ca. 93907.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/15/1982.

(s) Robert P. Gilligan

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 10, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC321)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970438

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **WALKER SMITH AND BOLEJACK, REAL ESTATE SERVICES, 210 Capitol Street, Suite 9, Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

DETRA K. WALKER, 16083 Sharon Ln., Salinas, Ca. 93908.

This business is conducted by co-op..

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/23/97.

(s) Detra K. Walker

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 28, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC322)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970279

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **DIAZ BROS. BAIL BONDS, 1728 New Haven Way, Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

ANTHONY STEVE DIAZ, 1728 New Haven Way, Salinas, Ca., 93906.

DEREK MANUEL DIAZ, 1849 Cherokee Dr., #4, Salinas, Ca. 93901.

MARK DAMON DIAZ, 1077 Sherman Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93905.

This business is conducted by a general partnership.

(s) Derek Diaz

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 6, 1997.

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(PC331)

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lems with her husband, who refuses to return some of her belongings.

FRIDAY, MARCH 7

Carmel Valley: A woman reported that an unknown suspect shot at her vehicle with a BB gun.

Carmel Valley: A woman, 48, reported that a man, 28, called her to tell her to "quit talking" about him. The woman wanted the incident documented for future reference.

Pebble Beach: A lodge manager reported that a 25-year-old woman caused a disturbance at a bar and refused to leave when asked. The woman eventually left the premises after being contacted by deputies.

Pebble Beach: Deputies did not find any suspects after responding to reports that a group of juveniles had been driving golf carts at a golf course after dark. One cart was discovered abandoned on the course; two others were located after they had been rammed into a wall at Pacific Grove High School.

Carmel: A woman reported that her husband took several items which belonged to her when he moved out of their house.

Carmel: A 71-year-old man who experienced a medical emergency while driving his vehicle along Carmel Valley Road was transported to Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula, where he later died.

SATURDAY, MARCH 8

Carmel Valley: A woman, 65, reported that during an argument over a parking space, she was struck and bruised by a man, 74.

Carmel: The owner of an antique store reported that someone shoplifted an antique glass worth $1,800.

Carmel Valley: A 44-year-old man reported that the $100 hood ornament of his Mercedes Benz had been broken off. A 10-year-old boy later admitted to the crime.

Carmel: A woman reported that a 52-year-old man tried to run her over after allegedly shoplifting 14 nicotine patches from a drug store. The man was eventually arrested and booked into county jail.

Carmel Valley: A woman reported that an unknown man entered her residence without her consent and grabbed her wrist, causing a small scrape on her index finger. The altercation resulted from a civil dispute concerning an item he had earlier purchased from her at her garage sale.

Big Sur: Two bags containing marijuana were found during a consentual vehicle search.

Carmel Valley: A woman reported that she observed a male neighbor walking down his driveway wearing only a T-shirt that didn't cover anything "below his abdomen." The man was contacted and alleged he was wearing bikini underwear while he was on his driveway.

Briefly Speaking

From page 9

Monday: Hospice celebrates anniversary

HOSPICE OF the Central Coast celebrates its 20th anniversary with an open house for the public scheduled from 1 to 3 p.m. on Monday.

The public can browse Hospice's Resource Center libraries, meet staff and volunteers, and learn about hospice programs, services and free support groups.

The open house will be held at the Monterey Peninsula Resource Center and Hospice House, 100 Barnet Segal Lane, Monterey.

Also, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursday, March 20, the employees of the Hospice Administration Office, 10 Ragsdale Drive, Suite 100, Monterey, will conduct an open house.

More information: 642-2036.

March 17: Homosexuality focus of talk

"IS HOMOSEXUALITY a Gift of God?" is the title of a free workshop from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday, March 17 at Calvary Chapel Monterey Bay in Monterey.

Rev. Carl Hansen of All Saints' Episcopal Church in Carmel and Rev. John Rankin, president of the Theological Education Institute in Hartford, Conn., are each scheduled to address the issue of homosexuality in our culture.

Calvary Chapel is located at 3001 Monterey-Salinas Highway (Highway 68). More information: 649-1158.

March 20: Mayor slates talk

CARMEL MAYOR Ken White will be the guest speaker Thursday, March 20 when the monthly Carmel Residents Association meeting convenes at Vista Lobos Meeting Room, Third and Torres.

The mayor is due to give an update on the state of the village as well as some of the projects underway and planned for the future.

The event will begin with refreshments being served at 4 p.m., with White's talk to begin shortly after 4:30 p.m.

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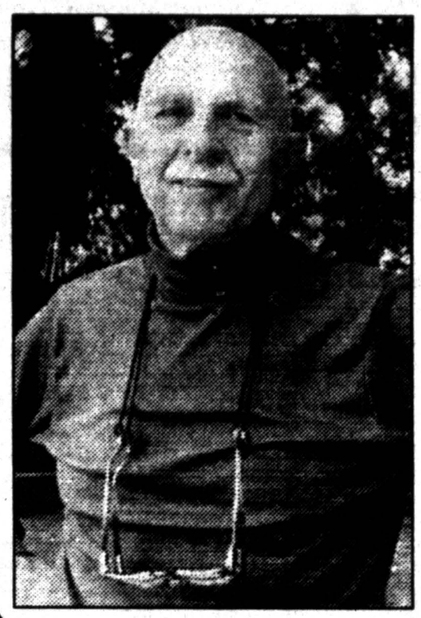

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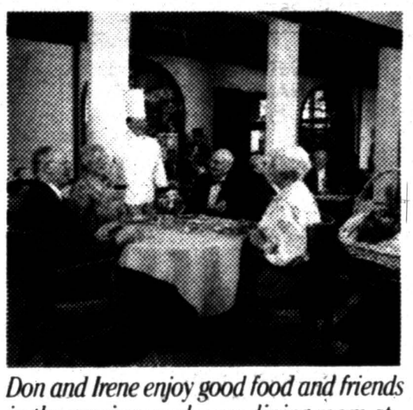

Don and Irene enjoy good food and friends in the gracious and open dining room at Canterbury Woods.

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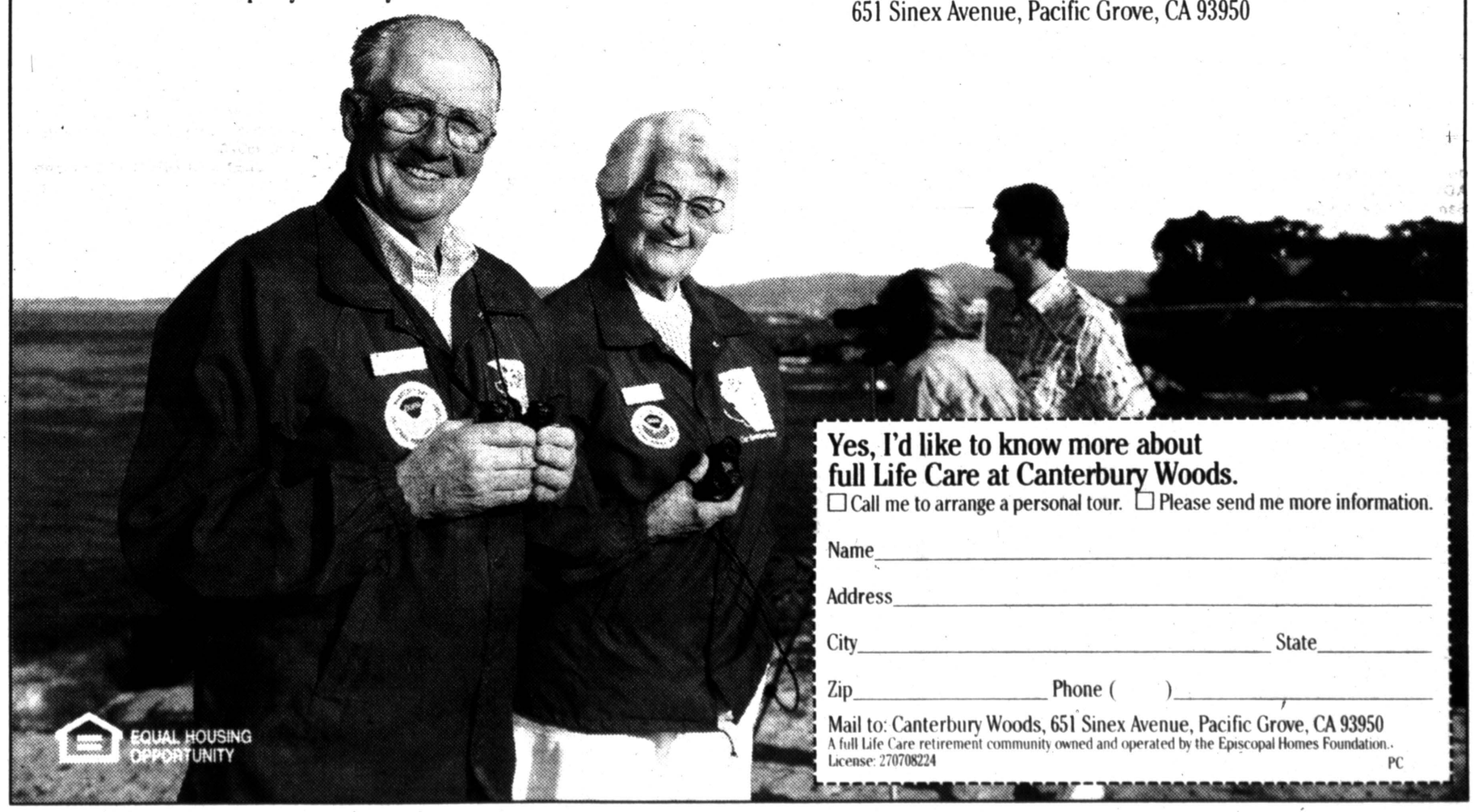

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During tax season, don't forget the children

Above the Bottom Line

By James P. Calandra, CPA

THIS YEAR, as you get ready to file your tax return for 1996, remember that your children may be required to file a return, too.

Working in a store or fast-food restaurant, mowing lawns, babysitting, earning income from investments — all can result in taxable income for kids. The filing requirements for children vary depending in whether their income comes from working, investing, or both.

■ If your child had wage income only during 1996, he or she must pay federal taxes on wages exceeding $4,000. That means filing a return and paying taxes at regular rates.

Although a child can claim a standard deduction (the amount depending on the mix of wages and investment income), a personal exemption is not allowed if the child can be claimed as a dependent on the parent's tax return.

Even if your child's income from wages was less than $4,000, employers may have withheld taxes. To claim a refund for withheld income taxes, a child must file a return.

■ If your child has a business and earned $400 or more of self-employment income in 1996, a return is required, and 15.3 percent of self-employment tax (Social Security and Medicare tax) on the child's net business income is due. Income tax could be due if earnings exceeded $4,000.

■ If your child received only investment income during 1996 (such as dividends and interest), reporting is required if the total exceeded $650. If your child's investment income exceeded $1,300 and your child is under age 14. The excess amount more than $1,300 will be taxed at your top tax rate.

■ If your child had both wage or self-employment income (both called earned income) and investment income, a return is required if income totaled more than $650.

Final thought: Many of the thresholds and limits that govern a child's income tax change each year.

✓ Does filing separately ever make sense?

Each year, married couples have the choice of filing joint or separate tax returns. The joint option is usually best, since it eliminates the time and expense of filing two forms, and it frequently results in a lower overall tax bill.

However, there are situations where separate returns save taxes. Here's the reason: When filing separately, each spouse generally reports his or her income and deducts expenses paid out of his or her own pocket.

For example, medical expenses are deductible only to the extent that they exceed 7.5 percent of adjusted gross income (AGI). Miscellaneous itemized deductions must exceed 2 percent of AGI, and casualty losses must exceed 10 percent of AGI.

When one party has more of these deductions than the other, or income is disproportionate, filing separately should be considered. Here's an example:

Assume a husband and wife each has adjusted gross income of $50,000. Among their itemized deductions, the husband has $7,000 of unreimbursed medical bills, which are paid by him, while the wife has no medical expenses.

This couple will receive no tax benefit if they file a joint return, because their medical bills don't exceed 7.5 percent of the 100,000 combined AGI ($7,500).

But, filing separately would permit the husband to deduct $3,250, which is the excess of $7,000 over 7.5 percent of his own $50,000 AGI. Filing separately may also be smart when couples are separated or experiencing discord.

A joint return means the IRS can later come after either spouse for any tax underpayments, regardless of who actually caused the problem. When you file separately, you are responsible only for your tax deficiencies.

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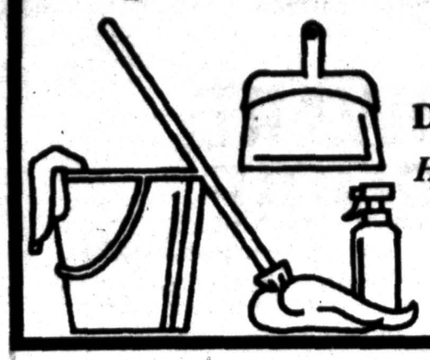

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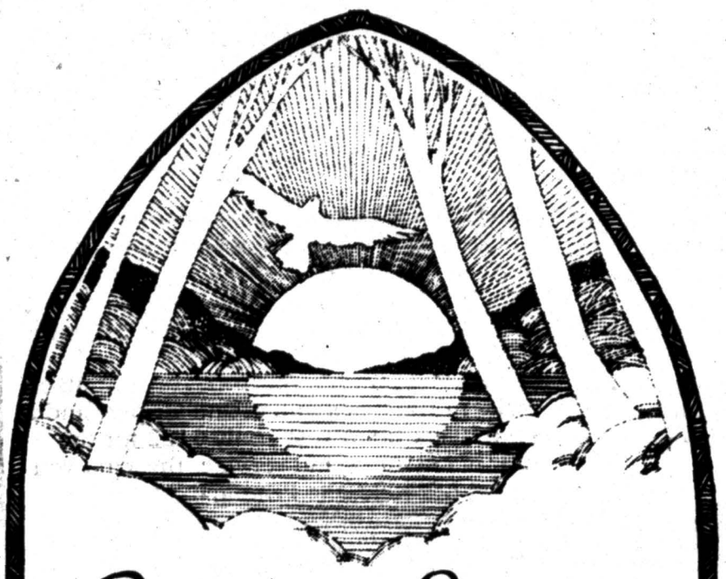

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The Golden Years

By Myles Williams

About 400,000 women served in the Armed Forces in World War II. Lasting recognition now is in store for them and women who served in other wars. A memorial and education center honoring all women veterans will be erected at Arlington National Cemetery. It will include a registry which visitors can access to view the military history of individual women. The memorial will be dedicated later this year. Further information can b3 obtained by calling the Women in Military Service for America Foundation, 1-800-222-2294.

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Bessie Doenges left Canada for new York at 19 to be a writer. Working as a publisher's clerk she wrote three novels, but none made it into print. Widowed in 1971, she began writing a 'Bessie Says" column for community weekly newspapers. At age 94 she was "discovered" by a literary agent for leading authors. Impressed by her 'amazing vitality and originality," the agent is seeking a book publisher to print a collection of her columns.

Remember When? April 24, 1968 – Among student protests against the Vietnam war and other issues, one of the most prominent was that staged in New York by Columbia University students who occupied several campus buildings for a week.

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FITZPATRICK

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several reporting awards during his stints at the Herald and the Examiner.

In his new M.E. position at the Toledo Blade, he will be joining a distinguished Midwestern newspaper with a daily circulation of 150,000 — more than four times that of the Monterey County Bland (which succeeded the Herald).

Lewis Leader . . .
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LEADER, his wife, **Sandy**, and 10-year-old daughter, **Samara**, will be moving to Toledo after completing a vacation to Europe. Sandy is senior editor of Adventures In Dining, and an accomplished reporter in her own right.

They will definitely be missed on the Monterey Peninsula.

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BOUQUETS and congratulations to the enduring **Mike Marotta**, Monterey's Downtown Icon, who was honored last weekend by the annual Dixieland Monterey Festival!

Couldn't happen to a more deserving gentleman.

MIKE says the toughest part of doing musical gigs at his age is "putting on my accordion." Maybe so, but once it's on, he can coax more kinds of hot, sweet, torchy and blues music out of that thing than you'd ever believe!

Just one request, Mike — please, never, EVER play "Lady of Spain" on that thing if I'm within a one-mile radius! I don't ask much, Mike ...

(**"Doggie** In the Window," "Three Little Fishies," "Mairzy Doats," I can handle — but please, no "Lady of Spain." Thanks, Mike.)

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ONWARD . . . The multifaceted Running Iron restaurant and bar, a Carmel Valley landmark institution, is expanding!

Owners **Nelson** and **Jenn Foreman** announced they are annexing the 1,250 square foot store front next door (formerly Carmel Valley Pharmacy) to convert to a private banquet room for the Running Iron.

COMPLETELY private from the rest of the restaurant and bar, the new room will be available (after remodeling) for all kinds of meetings, parties and gatherings about May 1.

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P.S. - Food at the Running Iron is surprisingly good, and it attracts sizable patronage by families.

Throw in the fascinating spectrum of colorful locals who colonize the bar, and you have one of the most compelling, must-see eateries and drinkeries in the entire county!

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NOW THEN . . . Recent sightings on the Peninsula of **Martha Stewart** — we're talking THE Martha Stewart — have given rise to reports she is house-hunting here!

But is the Peninsula ready for Martha? Are we grand enough? Quaint enough? Precious enough?

MARTHA'S standards are very, very high, we're told, and it is problematic whether we can measure up. Although we DO have a Kmart here!

Just kidding, Martha. Welcome to the Peninsula! But please remember to bring your own water.

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MONDAY being St. Patrick's Day, all six of the Bagel Bakery shops (four on the Peninsula, two in Salinas) will be selling GREEN bagels again this year!

And 10 percent of the proceeds will go to the Monterey County and Carmel Red Cross Chapters, according to bakery owners **Bill Leone** and **River Gurtin.**

'Tis a foine tradition that ought to be made mandatory throughout the world! (Forgive me, I got carried away there.)

O'Kane's Pub off Cannery Row will be serving green beer; all plant nurseries will be dressed in their finest greenery; and why they don't paint Colton Hall and Embassy Suites green, I don't know!

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GO softly and gently through that day, however.

Joe Fitzpatrick's column appears weekly in The Pine Cone.

ALTERNATIVE

From page 7

visions and future residents. By answering these important questions, the district will better understand how much growth water may be needed from a project such as the injection-recovery.

■ The district has solved its problem of how to accommodate new water needs at Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula (CHOMP), which plans a major expansion this year.

Although the hospital is located in Monterey, officials throughout the Peninsula community have agreed they should divide the water burden equally among all the eight jurisdictions. The only problem was that the County of Monterey and some of the cities had no water to give.

The water board agreed to lay the groundwork to set aside 50 acre-feet of water (18 acre-feet for CHOMP) for projects of regional benefit. The MPWMD staff has prepared a draft ordinance that will make the water available for regional projects from recent savings made possible through Peninsula-wide conservation efforts.

To many, the stalled CHOMP water allocation was one of the biggest symbols of the district's inability to find and allocate new water, even to clearly worthy users.

WHAT'S NEW with Meg

All about...little friends...orchids...shoes...hair color and *so* much more!

TIGER LILLY FLORIST

Known for its superb selection of orchids year-round, **TIGER LILLY FLORIST** is outdoing itself this season with a very special, very large shipment of the Phalaenopsis variety. So large, in fact, Licia is offering them at 20% off! This particular variety which does so well indoors, comes in heavenly lavenders and whites. You'd be wise to arrive soon for the best selection! You'll want to feast your eyes on all the other beautiful, colorful, and abundant spring flowers, including strong, exotic tulips from France. This shop is always a treat for the senses! On the corner of 7th & San Carlos, Carmel. 625-1029

Hedi's

As everyone knows, the shoes at **HEDI'S** are attractive, sophisticated and comfortable, a combination hard to beat! This is due to Hedi's expertise in knowing not only what women and men want, but where to find such shoes. From around the world representing twenty countries...shoes by Arche, from France; England's Clarks; attractive Wolkies from Germany; Sudini and Rangoni from Italy; the famous ecco from Denmark; Selby from this country, and many more. For men - Cole Hahn, H.S. Trask, Allen Edmonds, Johnston & Murphy, etc. This attractive shop also has an experienced staff ready to find that attractive, sophisticated, comfortable shoe for you! The Barnyard, Carmel. 625-2055

Russel, back in his **LEVIN GALLERY** after an exciting camera show in Miami, is all the more eager to find old classic cameras! Old cameras are not only very much in demand, but are worth hundreds, maybe thousands of dollars! So don't we owe it to ourselves to check out attics and clean closets? Russel is interested in any pre-1962 cameras, but is especially eager to find Leica, Contax and early Nikon cameras. It would seem wise to contact parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles to see if they have old cameras. Though my brother in San Diego couldn't produce our old family camera, maybe you'll have better luck! 408 Calle Principal (next door to Montrio), Monterey. 649-1166

catherine's

Shop **CATHERINE'S**. That is, of course, if you want that distinctive look that happens here- so easily and readily! Take for instance, the new, classic 100% linen outfit with well fitting pants, long blazer, or short blazer, beautifully tailored in a great shade of khaki or natural. Or the washable linen suit in an off-white pinstripe, v-neck jacket. What about linen painter pants with a crop "jeans" jacket that has flowers and bay leaves (of all things!) scattered about? Then there's the 100% rayon pull-on pants in fun black and cream stripes, and a solid black fitted vest - only $122 for the set!! Accessories and service, the kind you dream of! 405 Calle Principal, Monterey. 646-1565

You and your little ones will have fun shopping for clothes at the new **CLARA'S PETITS AMIS** (Little Friends). This sunny, happy little shop of clothes for girls - infant to size 10, and boys up to size 7 - recently opened in The Crossroads with everything in clothing from bright colored swimsuits to christening dresses (good for Easter, too). Speaking of Easter, see the adorable pin-stripe dresses with Battenburg lace collars. In addition, handpainted tennis shoes, tights, stockings, children's books (lots of Pooh), hairbows, jewelry, pillows, throws, and the new "pillow-buddies" (a must!). Drop by with your "little friend" soon. 2 doors up from the candy store. 626-4171

Marielle

Of course you know that **MARIELLE** of Carmel is even more than a full service salon with its many special services - a Full Day of Beauty, Swedish Body Massage, European Facials, Make-up, etc. But the basics - cutting, styling, perms, color - are important here, and are handled by specialists, as well. It seems color is the big thing this spring, and MARIELLE is the place to get it. They offer color weaving, highlighting, painting and more, so why not give yourself a treat with a change of hair color, whether a big change or a small one. Whatever you choose, you'll feel new and spring-like! Call 625-5588 for an appointment and enjoy! At the Barnyard, Carmel.

Prim & Proper

If you're looking for wearable Easter motifs, you'll find a good selection at **PRIM & PROPER**. Bunnies are all over the place - on vest, sweaters, even painted on totes. To be specific - the very handsome BellePointe hand knit vests have not only bunnies, but ladybugs, kittys, even a birdhouse or two. A bunny cardigan in navy blue might catch your fancy; or the pink bunny vest by Marisa Christina, with a solid pleated rayon skirt to wear with it. What about a white t-shirt with an embroidered bunny? Remember, bunnies like other animals are good all year long! Lots of your favorite Gotcha Covered has just been unpacked! 553 Lighthouse, PG. 372-5563

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MONARCH KNITTING & QUILTS

has the yummiest light-weight chenille yarn you've ever seen. It's machine washable, comes in dozen of rich colors like gold, teal, midnight blue, and there are plenty of patterns to use with it. From England to this country for the first time - adorable baby yarns in blue, pink, yellow, white. And new to this shop, another baby yarn, Carina. Of interest to many of you, Joan is giving a two hour class in Special Techniques involving the slip stitch and dip stitch on March 15, again on the 16th. The charge is $18; call to register. By the way, those adorable Home Bunnies, perfect for Easter baskets, are 20% off. 529 Central, PG. 647-9276

Holman Bldg.

I've just taken my first trip into the old **HOLMAN'S** now the new **HOLMAN'S ANTIQUE PLAZA**! What an experience! The first floor seemed like an acre of antiques, and I soon learned they belong to 50 dealers, local and as far away as Boston. There's something for everyone and here goes a *very* partial listing: extensive jewelry (diamonds, gold, silver, jade, etc.); Early American and European antique furniture, some in contemporary design; unlimited collectibles (antique teapots, ceramics, clocks, dolls, etc.); Fine art; rugs, mirrors, lovely Meissen and Tiffany pieces etc. One could go on and on, but I hope you get the picture. The dealers plan to keep merchandise rotating, so each time you'll see different items. ANTIQUE PLAZA plans include expanding; bi-monthly auctions with dealer consigned items open to the public without premium, and no telling what else! **The HOLMAN BUILDING** plans include the opening of a Monterey County Bank branch sometime in late March; open now, THE BODY SUITE, a massage, skin care, hair and nail salon with fantastic panoramic ocean view, and you can count on many more openings. Heard a rumor about a restaurant one day high atop! You know about the pianist who plays daily – music from the 1820's to the 1950's? And have you met Charlie, the Blue Russian cat in residence? 542 Lighthouse. PG. 646-1677

Salon d' Europe

Here's something that should please the busiest of people - **SALON d' EUROPE** now offers a Fifteen Minute Stress Relief Massage! And let me assure you, it does just that! Cheryl uses a massage machine on your upper back which gives the feeling of kneading fingers, and then with her fingers she massages the shoulder, neck, back, scalp, arms and hands. All you do is stay in your work clothes while Cheryl does the work. This little salon becomes a haven of calm - aromatherapy, soft music - and you'll return to work feeling like a million. Call Cheryl at 624-1963, or see her at 7th & San Carlos, Hampton Court, and who knows, you might get a sampling. $20 for stress relief. Can you believe it?!

HARRIET DUNCAN

A peek in the window at the **HARRIET DUNCAN** Shop reveals a wide and glorious selection of Easter dresses and suits. The colors and styles are truly exciting. Here's a small sampling - by Ann Crimmins, silk chemise in salmon with coral roses on green stems scattered here and there; a "watercolor" silk chiffon with flowing scarf and bias flounce; striking two-piece suit in coral and white, with top and skirt in variations of the same pattern; an attractive two-piece Castleberry knit in coral. The DaRue collection offers many separates in solids and prints - vivid aqua, coral, blue, purple, etc. You'll want to do more than peek! On 6th, betwn Lincoln/Dolores, Carmel. 624-4912

Monterey's Cutting Day is this Saturday in the Friendly Plaza, outside Colton Hall. Bring a cutting, get a cutting. And do me a favor? When you go to these shops, galleries and restaurants, and when you use these services, be sure to say ***MEG sent you!***

Back March 27, meanwhile, say... "Meg"

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Athletic Director Tom Clifford will give up the job because he wants to devote more time to his English teaching position at Carmel High School.

Tom Clifford resigns CHS A.D. position

Replacement won't be named until mid-May

By SCOTT A. BROWN

MUCH CHANGE is afoot within the Carmel High School athletic department.

In addition to the need to replace the fired Mike Jones as the head of the soccer program, the school must also find a varsity head football coach, following Mike Kelly's resignation in January after two successful seasons with the Padres.

Now, Carmel High must also fill the office of athletic director.

After serving as CHS athletic director for the past two academic years, Tom Clifford has tendered his resignation, effective at the end of the 1996-97 school year. Clifford verbally notified Principal Eric Paulson in January, but has not made the decision public until speaking with The Pine Cone this week.

"I got into education because I wanted to be an English teacher," said Clifford, who has served in that capacity at Carmel High since 1991. "To do that, with all of the planning and grading, requires significant time.

"Unfortunately, to be an athletic director also requires a significant effort. My teaching has slipped a little bit since I've been the A.D., and I don't feel good about it because my first commitment is to the education of our students."

On the increase

Since Clifford began his tenure as athletic director, Carmel High has seen increases in both the number of sports and participating athletes. Girls' soccer and water polo teams were added to CHS' athletic arsenal under Clifford's watch. He also was instrumental in adding boys' volleyball to next year's docket.

Clifford oversaw an athletic department that made significant strides on the field during his term as well. Carmel's varsity baseball team won the Central Coast Section Division IV championship in 1996, and its boys' and girls' soccer teams made appearances in the CCS playoffs in 1997 — the boys for the first time since 1989, and the girls for the first time ever.

No replacement has been named for Clifford. The school will post the job opening in April and hopes to have the position filled by mid-May.

"We have a number of coaching vacancies — namely football — that need to be filled before they fill this job," Clifford said.

CHS fires boys' soccer coach

Mike Jones loses varsity job after use of ineligible player

By SCOTT A. BROWN

MIKE JONES, long considered the patriarch of youth soccer on the Monterey Peninsula, has been fired from his post as head coach of the boys' varsity soccer team at Carmel High by Eric Paulson, the school's principal.

Jones, 47, was released from his position for having an academically ineligible player on his roster for the Padres' first-round Central Coast Section playoff game Feb. 18 against Los Gatos.

Though he had not been on the Carmel roster at any point during the season, the player started in goal for the Padres and played the duration of the four-overtime game. Carmel lost the contest 2-1 after it was defeated in a round of penalty kicks.

Had the Padres triumphed, they would have had to forfeit that win and any subsequent victories in the playoffs. The CCS is strict in its legislation against the use of players with cumulative semester grade point averages below 2.0, or who have not completed the number of core courses appropriate for their grade level.

However, the CCS does not forbid the addition of players to a roster in the event of another player's injury or absence.

PHOTO/COLE THOMPSON

Mike Jones (in black shirt shaking hands with No. 6) joins in the congratulatory post-game ritual following Carmel High's victory earlier this season over Robert Louis Stevenson. Jones, who led CHS to the post-season, has been fired for his use of an ineligible player in the team's lone Central Coast Section playoff game.

Initiated by CHS

The investigation of the incident was not mandated by the CCS, but rather was initiated by Paulson after several teachers who had given the ineligible player non-passing grades read of his performance in The Pine Cone (Sports, Feb. 20) and questioned his right to participate.

The ineligible player had lettered in soccer in previous years, but did not play this season.

"I am not going to have a coach at this school who does not follow the rules," Paulson told The Pine Cone on Wednesday. "Any excuse for playing a player that was academically ineligible, not on the roster all season, not at any practices, is completely false. This isn't even close.

"He (Jones) is the adult. He knows the guidelines. Ethics are very important to me. I'm not going to put up with an adult who leads kids this way. The issue is very simple. If he didn't know the player was eligible, it is wrong to play him."

Jones has been coaching youth soccer on the Peninsula since 1979, when he began as a coach for the YMCA. In 1989, he founded the Monarch youth soccer league, which annually involves 600 players.

He began his involvement with CUSD when he took over as coach of the Carmel Middle School team in 1992. His tenure as boys' varsity coach at CHS began in 1994. And he currently runs six youth teams with director Pat Lenz out of the Carmel Youth Center.

"(Paulson) said that I had cheated the team out of its season because of this," said Jones, whose team finished 11-3-2, good enough for second place in the Mission Trail Athletic League, and made its first playoff appearance since 1989.

"I made a mistake in playing someone whose eligibility I could not prove," Jones continued. "I also have been criticized for bringing in a new player, just for CCS...I wanted to spread the CCS experience as wide as possible. I believe in the parable of the vineyard — it is not how long you toil, but if you are up to the work."

Prior to his firing, Jones was unaware of

See SOCCER COACH page 17

CHS, RLS well represented in Saturday all-star games

By SCOTT A. BROWN

AN ALL-STAR game featuring boys' and girls' players from Carmel and Robert Louis Stevenson high schools will be played Saturday at Seaside High School.

The girls' game begins at 5 p.m., while the boys' game is due to kick off two hours later.

Because the game, which will be sponsored by the Gavilan Youth Soccer League, is not officially sanctioned by the Mission Trail Athletic League or the Monterey Bay League, it will feature the Monterey Fog (a team comprised of MBL players) against the Mission Breeze (a team comprised of MTAL teams).

The Mission Breeze will include prep players from Carmel, Stevenson, Palma, Notre Dame, Santa Catalina and Pacific Grove. Carmel boys on the Breeze will be Brendan Jones, Oscar Guerrero, Skip Powers and Geronimo Volpini, while Stevenson will be represented by Brian Carmichael and Paul Simonsen.

Carmel girls on the Breeze are Sarah Coombe, Kate Daley, Natalie Johnson and Nicki Gillette.

Ousted coach returns

Despite recently having been released of his duties as head coach of the CHS boys' varsity squad (see related story above), Mike Jones will direct the boys' Breeze team. The girls' Breeze team will be led by CHS girls' coach Pat Lenz. Both coaches led their respective teams to Central Coast Section playoff berths this season.

"The purpose of the game is to give the kids exposure for the season they had, as well as to give the sport exposure," said Lenz. "If you include boys' and girls' teams, soccer has more athletes competing in it than any other sport on the Peninsula. All told, 72 kids will play in the two games."

Lenz, the director of the the Carmel Youth Center, will also be running six local youth teams this spring out of the CYC. "Mike (Jones) has run the spring league for years out of the back of his truck," said Lenz. "(Running out of the youth center) just gives it some structure."

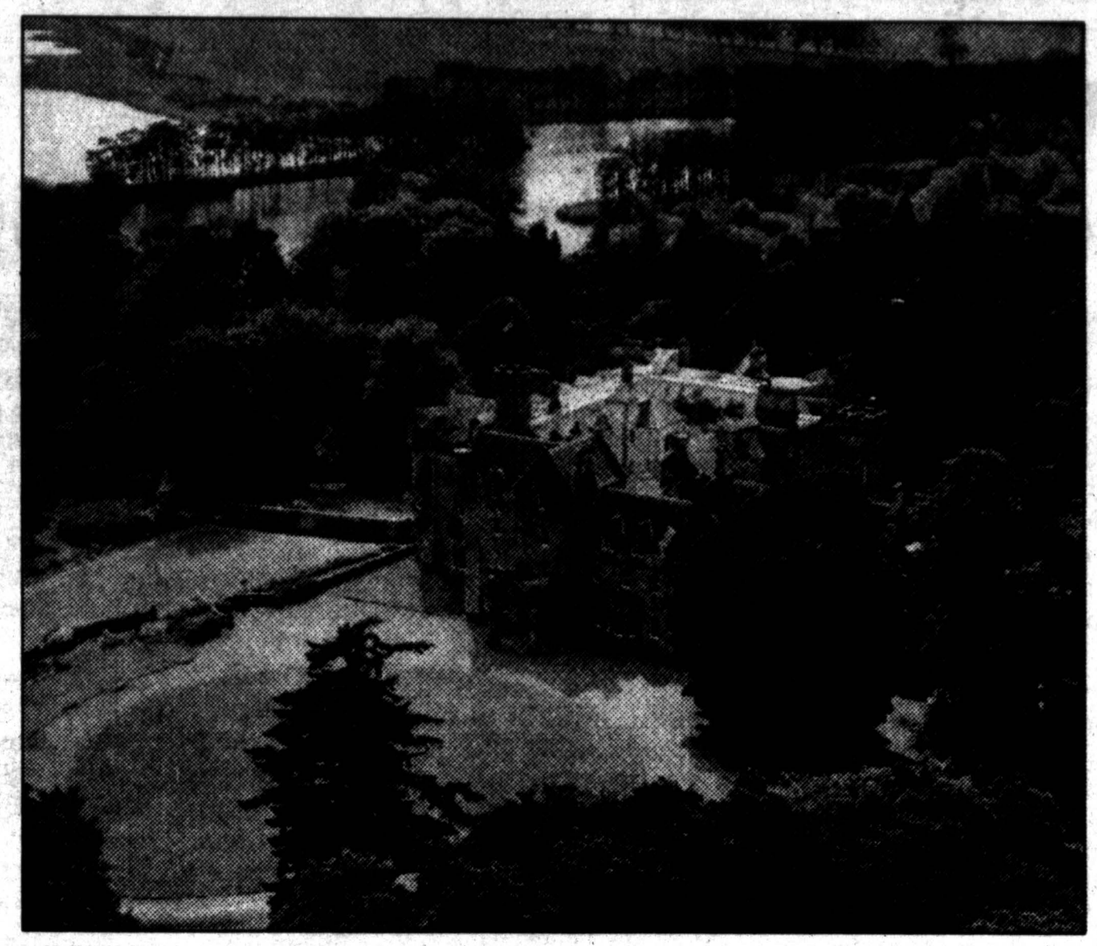
"This is something I've been trying to plan for years," Jones said of the all-star game. "The point of this is to have something for college scouts to look at. College scouts care more about the more competitive summer leagues than they do about the high school season. We have leagues here with great indirect styles of play that emphasize style of play over physicality.

"Also, the MTAL had one of the best behavior records in the CCS. Out of nearly 400 games, there were only four incident reports filed. We want to further that by putting these players on the same team. You get these kids together, and it's magic."

More information about the game can be obtained by calling 442-5425.

SCHOLAR-ATHLETE BANQUET

- **What:** National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame, Monterey County Chapter Scholar-Athlete banquet.
- **When:** 6:30 tonight.
- **Where:** Grand Ballroom, Hyatt Regency Monterey, One Old Golf Course Road, Monterey.
- **Who:** 23 Scholar-athletes from Monterey and San Benito county high schools will be honored for their excellence in the classroom, in the community and on the football field.
- **Keynote Speaker:** Tom Holmoe, new head football coach at Cal.
- **Tickets:** $40/person, available at the door.
- **Information/Reservations:** Butch Semas, 372-4929.



The park around the Skibo Castle at The Carnegie Club in Scotland has an abundance of wildlife, ranging from otters to ospreys, and it is maintained as a protected area.

Hogan's Alley

By BILL HOGAN

Heaven on earth

ALMOST 100 YEARS ago, the famed steel tycoon Andrew Carnegie bought Skibo Castle in the Highlands of Scotland. Having left there as a teen-ager to seek employment in America, he wanted to return in style and needed a suitable estate.

Carnegie was the world's richest man at the time, and he invested some $3.5 million in the Skibo Castle purchase and refurbishment. This amounts to roughly $55 million in today's terms, a hefty investment for a summer home, even with the 20,000 surrounding acres.

Fast forward to 1990, when Peter and Lana De Savary of London purchased the estate (then reduced to 7,500 acres) and transformed Skibo Castle into The Carnegie Club, a private membership club for the well-heeled. De Savary's plan is to create something private and exclusive, where members can return at their leisure just as Carnegie intended to do himself.

"We were in the Highlands looking to buy some antiques and as soon as I drove up to the castle, I knew that if we got out of the car we would own it," De Savary said over dinner one evening. "It just has a certain spirit."

Pricey, indeed

It's a spirit that does not fit everyone's budget, however. Personal memberships are available for about $3,830 per year, and members must still pay a nightly lodging fee of about $670/couple/night, fully inclusive of all meals, drinks and other activities on the estate. That includes golf, fishing, falconry, complete spa services, shooting and archery.

Non-members can stay at the castle for about $1,050 per couple per night, but this invitation is available only once; a second visit requires a membership.

After an initial visit, many are inclined to join The Carnegie Club because the estate is really spectacular. The 16 suites and 16 lodges are all unique and include most of the original Carnegie furnishings and artwork.

There are centuries-old tapestries and mounts on the walls throughout the sitting rooms and parlors. You can explore the beautiful library with the original guest books and even pick from the hundreds of pre-Castro Cuban cigars in the large humidor (extra cost, of course).

In the evening, the guests gather in one of the rooms for drinks and are soon led to dinner by bagpipes. Once in the dining room, everyone eats together "family style" in the Carnegie tradition.

On my first visit, I was put in the Carnegie family nursery, a corner room with canopied bed, a turret and 2,080 square feet of living space. The huge walk-in closet was bigger than my bedroom at home, and the bathroom featured water that was slightly brown in color from the peat filtration system that Carnegie had built. It was completely safe, I was told, but still I drank from the bottled water and some of the local Glenmorangie.

From my room one morning, I looked out over the surrounding fields toward the Dornoch Firth and counted 27 large deer in the field. As former commissioner of the PGA Tour Deane Beaman said, "Skibo is just the most splendid place I have ever seen."

Originally, Carnegie had a links course built, but it was left unattended for about 75 years. Overgrown and abandoned, the links were rebuilt in 1994 by architect Donald Steele and the course was recently named "Best New Course in Great Britain" by Golf World magazine.

At 6,650 yards from the tips, The Carnegie Championship Course is a tough links test and hosted the match between Fred Couples and Greg Norman for Shell's Wonderful World of Golf. For the record, Couples shot a 76 to win by three strokes.

Nonetheless, Norman was so impressed that he bought a membership, and plans to visit each year before the British Open.

"There is nothing better in life than a dream come true," Norman noted. "Skibo Castle is definitely that dream."

The 17th hole is a teasing short par four which rewards the accurate player but punishes poor shots severely.

Reminiscent of Pebble

Holes 16, 17 and 18 are particularly memorable, stretching over a small peninsula in the Dornoch Firth. The par-5 18th is a great finishing hole, a long right to left banana-shaped hole reminiscent of Pebble Beach's 18th. If the wind's at your back, the hole is not too tough. But if the "wee breeze" is in your face, forget it — it can play like a 570-yard par eight!

Just up the road is Royal Dornoch Golf Course, perhaps the finest natural links course in the world. Time has passed slowly since they began golfing there in 1616, and every year they still compete for the Carnegie Shield, which Andrew himself donated in 1901.

Interestingly, Carnegie once said that "a man who dies rich dies disgraced." In his latter years, Carnegie gave much of his wealth to charitable causes and left Skibo Castle in a trust that could not afford to maintain itself.

Thankfully, the De Savarys came along and have preserved this "heaven on earth" dream to a tee.

■ **Chip Shots:** A Skibo Castle vacation can be booked by calling golf travel specialist **Brian Paulson** at 626-2400 . . . Golfers are encouraged to play in the **Ken Wheatley** Memorial Golf Tournament, which will raise educational funds for the young child of the former Pebble Beach caddie, who died in a car accident on Highway 1. The tournament is at Old Del Monte on Wednesday, April 9. Entry fee: $125. Call **Mike Moore** at 625-5948 for more information.

Bill Hogan is president of Carmel-based Wide World of Golf, which has offered luxury golf vacations and consulting services since 1957. If you have information for Bill, give him a call at 624-6667.

SOCCER COACH

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an investigation regarding the player. "We'd had our soccer banquet the night before, which I paid for the entire thing," said Jones. "I'm so naive, I thought Paulson was calling me to his office to congratulate me."

Carmel headed into its playoff game without the services of all-state goalie Devin Dombrowsky, who was injured. The Padres had played midfielder Jake Butts at goalie in a 2-1 loss the prior Saturday. Junior varsity goalie Matt Wall was unavailable for the CCS game because he was traveling in France.

Jones, familiar with the ineligible player from his years spent in the coach's youth leagues, elected to start him in goal over Butts. Because Carmel High School was on break from Feb. 16-21, Jones said he was unable to check with the school registrar on the eligibility of the player in question.

Jones maintains that he asked the player if he was eligible, and the player replied that he had achieved a 3.0 grade point average the prior semester. School records later indicated that was not the case and that his GPA was in fact below the required level.

"I lose," said Jones. "But if I lose because I trusted one of my players, I don't mind. I always vote for trust."

In lieu of playing Dombrowski, Jones said he selected the ineligible player over Butts because "it would have been coaching malpractice to play a brand new, completely inexperienced kid (Butts) in a highly skilled position in a high-pressure game. If he had a bad day, he would be marked for life."

"(The ineligible player) had always been our keeper since he was six years old," Jones continued. "We did not expect him to excel after a year off, but we knew he would not be bothered if he got hammered."

Jones said he attempted to contact both Paulson and CHS athletic director Tom Clifford prior to the game regarding the player's eligibility, but both were unavailable.

Paulson and Clifford both deny their lack of access. Paulson said he attended the girls' CCS playoff game against Menlo that same day, and Clifford said he was in attendance at the boys' game but had not been questioned about the player's eligibility.

'Just an excuse'

While Jones admits he made an error in judgment, he said he should not be released from his position.

"I feel that the eligibility thing was just an excuse," Jones said. "The punishment does not fit the crime. To have worked so long and hard, to have had such success, and then get fired for an honest mistake with the best of intentions doesn't make sense. There is no way I would play someone I knew to be ineligible. If I was trying to slip one by everyone, would I name him on the roster? I even talked over the keeper situation with the referees before the game."

Clifford said this was not the first time the school had conflicted with Jones' methods.

"There were a number of issues we were concerned about regarding Mike," said Clifford. "They had been addressed throughout the season. But this one came in such a size and shape that it couldn't be ignored. We had ample reason to fire him. This was just the last straw."

Jones believes he should be granted some degree of grace for his personal and financial contributions to the sport. He maintained that he spent $16,000 of his own money last year in coordinating jerseys, equipment and field maintenance for Carmel High and Carmel Middle this past season.

He said his job as varsity coach requires approximately seven hours of work per day, which forces him to step away from his catering business for four months per year.

The varsity soccer coach at Carmel High is paid $2,800 per year, according to Jones.

"The biggest reason for the success of our soccer programs so quickly is Mike Jones," said Lenz, the girls' varsity coach at Carmel High. "His youth programs are feeding the high schools."

"How are you going to keep the program progressing at the rate it has been without me around?" said Jones. "How are you going to find a guy willing to do all the work and pay all the bills? The kids are the ones who suffer."

"We'll be just fine," said Paulson. "There's no question Mike has done as much as anyone for soccer here. But we're going to carry on. We're proud of what our players did on the field this year, but it can't come at a high cost to them."

A petition has been raised by parents and supporters to ask Carmel High to reconsider the firing of Jones. If the effort fails, Jones says he would like to remain active in the Carmel program while endorsing junior varsity coach Nick Kukuruza as his replacement.

Jones' son, Brendan, is a sophomore at CHS and an all-county player on the soccer team. Jones has two more sons who will matriculate to Carmel High within the next two years.

"I look forward to being a dad," Jones said, "if I can avoid the temptation to take another job."

Letters to the Editor

Letters should not exceed 350 words and are subject to editing. Letters must be typed and include name, address, telephone number and signature. Those that have previously appeared in other publications will be given last priority.

A different slant on Panetta

Dear Editor:

Just to be fair, would The Pine Cone please provide your readers with a balanced view of Leon Panetta.

Many of us do not agree with the glowing review (Pine Cone, Feb. 27) of Leon or his boss, Bill.

Sharron Carroll, *Carmel Valley*

Festival a losing proposal

Dear Editor:

I attended the Carmel City Council meeting on March 4 and wish to commend Councilwoman Barbara Livingston for her strong stand against a proposal for a three-week performing arts festival next October.

To me, the proposal sounded something like a New Orleans festival and Mardi Gras.

This beautiful little village, where residents and businesses must live side by side, is not suited for a festival of this nature. I question if we have a large enough police force to contend with the thousands of anticipated visitors the festival will invite.

We can expect more double parked delivery trucks, more unsightly tour buses lined up on Junipero and many more cars. Three live shows daily in our neighborhood theaters hardly seem fair to homeowners nearby.

Will it be possible for people who live in Carmel to get to their jobs on time, go to the post office, bank or run any errands during festival time?

If Carmel-by-the-Sea and surrounding area is preserved and protected in its present state, a festival of this nature is unnecessary to attract additional tourists.

Mayor Ken White and Councilmen Bob Fischer and Marshall Hydorn should join Livingston and Councilwoman Paula Hazdovac at the April 1 council meeting and vote to deny a performing arts festival in Carmel-by-the-Sea.

Jacqueline Hudson, *Carmel*

LET'S GET FOCUSED

FORA's planned build-out presents a major concern

By ED BOTSFORD

A RECENTLY PUBLISHED interview with the Fort Ord Reuse Authority's (FORA) departing executive officer, Les White, was incredible.

The article quotes Mr. White as saying that: "Critics are wrong to focus on the massive build-out...in the Fort Ord Reuse Plan because they are unlikely to occur," and, "No one else is focusing on the build-out."

Anyone who reads the comments made by our local government agencies on the Draft Fort Ord Reuse Plan and Environmental Impact Report realizes that these public officials are extremely concerned about the massive build-out projected in FORA's plan.

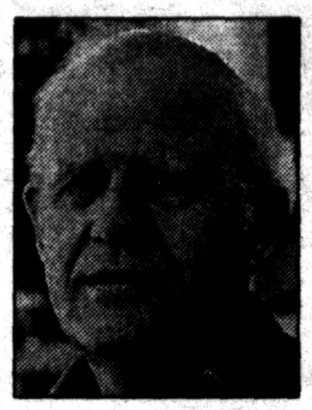
The Monterey County Farm Bureau, for example, says, "...there have been no studies done that would evaluate the impacts of Fort Ord reuse on the existing surrounding communities. Thousands of people are expected to live and work on the former base.

How will their presence impact adjacent communities?"

'Unacceptably flawed'

California State University's Watershed Institute says, "We have found the DEIR to be unacceptably flawed relevant to proposed water requirements, scope of buildout, and loss and degradation of unique habitats. On nearly every front, it fails to fulfill the requirement of the California Environmental Quality Act(CEQA) that an EIR be a 'good faith effort at full disclosure of the impacts of a stable, finite project description.'

"Particularly disturbing is the consistent lack of specifics in project descriptions, potential impacts, and requirements with which to hold project operations accountable.



Ed Botsford

"We therefore recommend a substantial revision of the DEIR, with development scaled far back to better accommodate the real needs and limitations of surrounding cities and the Monterey Peninsula, and the extraordinary environmental legacy of former Fort Ord."

The Transportation Agency for Monterey County (TAMC) says, "...since data beyond year 2015 is not available, the year 2015 through build-out land use must be removed from the plan or FORA will face the considerable problem of unmitigated project impacts."

The Marina perspective

Marina Mayor Jim Vocelka, in his Aug. 22, 1996 letter on the Fort Ord Reuse Plan written to FORA, says, "FORA may partially respond to criticisms from the public about growth associated with the plan by indicating that, given the huge loss of populations from the former base during its closure, the real rate of population growth . . . through the year 2015 is near zero."

Although Mayor Vocelka's numbers are questionable, it sure sounds like he is "focusing on the build-out."

When Les White says he believes there will be problems getting water beyond the 6,600 acre-feet a year now available at Fort Ord and that getting hundreds of millions of dollars for roadways and transportation systems at Fort Ord could prove to be unsolvable problems, he really hit the nails on the head!

This is exactly what the government agencies responsible for the area's infrastructure and a majority of the concerned citizens have been telling FORA all along.

The final plan

We hope that Mr. White's successor will have the wisdom and courage to incorporate the recommendations of county agencies, environmental groups and concerned Monterey Bay residents and prepare a final plan that can be supported by existing water and roads.

The final plan must be limited to the year 2015 since adequate analysis of impacts, as mandated CEQA, are not available beyond that year.

This plan, even after it is revised to meet CEQA requirements, will be the largest development Monterey County has ever seen.

Ed Botsford, a resident of Carmel, is active with the Fort Ord Study Group, an informal organization of Peninsula citizens concerned about the size of the Fort Ord reuse plan.

Bravo, River School

Dear Editor:

The Carmel River Elementary School (K-5) recently held a dedication ceremony for its newly installed computer lab. I was impressed with the modern equipment and facilities.

But even more impressive were the cooperative spirit and effort of the parents who raised some of the needed funds and the committed, responsive school staff who brought this project to a living reality.

Also in the equation was the technical assistance of the Monterey County Office of Education and its Internet capability.

As I listened to the outline of a progressive and very comprehensive computer training curriculum for kindergarten through fifth grade, I could visualize the future of education emerging before me. This experience also demonstrates the importance of harnessing the resources of parents, teachers and our county school personnel in achieving a common goal.

My congratulations to all the participants who were responsible for this successful effort in preparing students for the challenges they will face in the next century.

Harvey Kuffner
Monterey County School Board Member, Area 1

Now let's find some water solutions

Dear Editor:

As honorary chairperson of the "No on Measure A Committee," I wish to applaud the common sense of the thousands of voters who supported the "no" position.

Voters did not cast their ballots because they were pro-growth, or were they confused about the rationing issue. Rather their vote against Measure A showed they were convinced the initiative presented no solution to our water problem.

The proponents of Measure A claimed that we ran a campaign based on the "big lie," and that our campaign "had no substance."

Yet 59 percent of the voters refused to accept such frivolous claims.

Now, with Measure A being resolved, it is time that we all unite to develop a crucially needed solution to this pressing matter.

To achieve this, we must put aside our selfish interests and work for the betterment of the entire community. We must be willing to compromise on rigid positions. We owe it to future generations.

Sam Karas
Honorary Chairperson, No on Measure A

Dam now logical choice

Dear Editor:

Well it appears that the voters of the Monterey Peninsula have used a portion of their water allocation to flush Measure A down the toilet. OK, on from here.

Given that new well water is of minimal possibility, that desalination water costs

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'Topical Fish' swims its way to Pine Cone Op-Ed page

THIS WEEK, The Pine Cone introduces a new feature, "Topical Fish," to our Opinion section.

Created by Robert Podesta, an artist who shares time between Santa Cruz and Carmel, "Topical Fish" is designed to entertain and provoke thought through the featured quotes. Or as Tom Hayes, author of You Can Make a Difference in Silicon Valley, wrote: "They are ideas to be shared."

Artist Robert Podesta

Podesta's work regularly appears in other publications around the country, including the San Jose Business Journal and The Honolulu Advertiser. He also published a 112-page book, "The Best of Topical Fish," in 1995.

"Topical Fish" will be published weekly on The Pine Cone's Op-Ed page. We welcome Bob aboard!

TOPICAL FISH/By Podesta

A man isn't poor if he can still laugh.

— RAYMOND HITCHCOCK

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LETTERS

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would be too high, that water extraction from the Carmel River aquifer must be drastically reduced, the dam is now the logical choice.

The only real question is: What will be the size of the new dam? It is hoped that people of mature judgment and a knowledge of hydrology will approach this item and will come to a rational resolution of it.

Let's take a complicated situation and turn it into a simple solution.

Erling Lagerholm, *Carmel*

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HOUSING

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er (the Ravel Corp. of Sausalito) has agreed to limit the rent amount of one unit, as determined by figures calculated at the Monterey County Housing Authority.

According to Carmel Senior Planner Rick Tooker, the unit in question will not be rented for more than $588 a month if it accommodates a one-person household. The amount is somewhat higher for a family or household of two or three.

The city is in charge of checking up on the landlord periodically to ensure that the rules are being followed, according to Tooker. The landlords, however, select their own tenants according to their own standards, he said.

In an unfettered market, Tooker noted, such a unit would probably rent for about $950.

The state has mandated Carmel to provide 25 low-income units by 1998, but as Mayor Ken White points out, mandates don't mean much if very few developers step forward to take advantage of incentives. In addition, the state has not indicated how it will enforce its mandate.

■ The city has legitimized its most significant stock of low-income housing in Carmel: so-called granny units.

Second-kitchen units, as they are also called, number roughly 300 in Carmel. Some are detached little self-sufficient guest cottages on single-family lots, while others are dwellings attached to the main unit. Yet others are simple garage conversions where tenants live.

Over the decades, there have been two sides to the issue of guest units. To some, they provide needed rental income for the property owner and affordable units to the renters. Others have argued that they undermine the integrity of single-family residential zones, causing more traffic, parking problems, noise and congestion.

The city council legitimized granny units en masse in early 1990s, creating low-income housing and providing amnesty for a widespread illegal use within the city.

According to Tooker, a kind of compromise ensued. New auxiliary units were forbidden, but the standing units were legitimized.

In a town like Carmel, where location largely dictates both rents and property values, not all granny units are low-income. "Of course, the city does not regulate the rents of people's granny units, but by virtue of their size, they tend to be more affordable," Roseth said.

PHOTO/PAUL WOLF

Following the demolition of a single-family house at Mission and Fourth, all that remains is a deep crater, which will be filled by a new multiple-unit residential complex.

Refractive surgery talk at CHOMP

DR. LELAND Rosenblum will give a talk on "Refractive Surgery: Better Vision Without Glasses or Contacts" from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday at Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula's main conference room.

More information: 625-4505.

PARKING

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"We have been contacted by the DA's office, and they have examined our records," said Carmel City Administrator Jere Kersnar, noting he could not comment on the substance of the case. "We've been cooperative."

Brooks, the parking contractor since 1992, pays rent to the city for the use of the Sunset lot. Depending on the time of year, his monthly rent ranges from $3,500 to $6,000, according to Sandi Davenport, Carmel financial services coordinator.

However, instead of paying rent, National Parking Corp. pays the city up to 40 percent of gross revenues during high volume periods, Davenport said.

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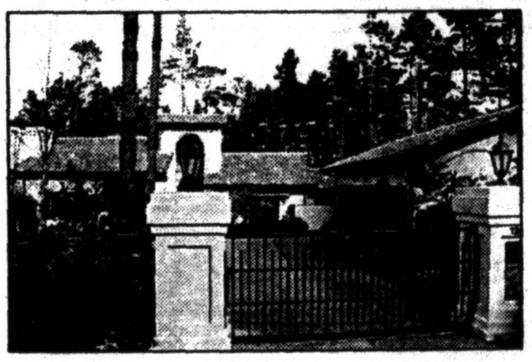

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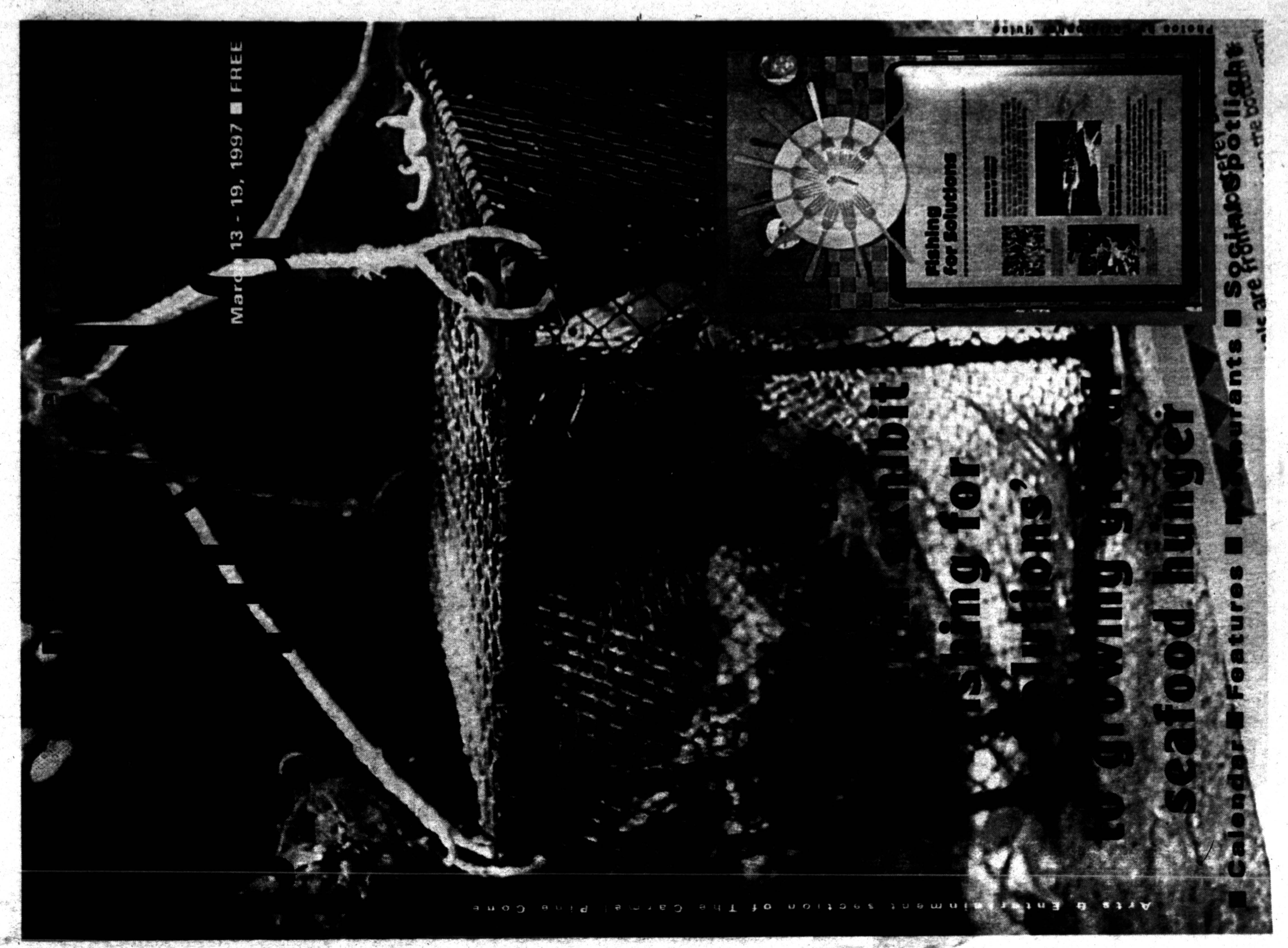
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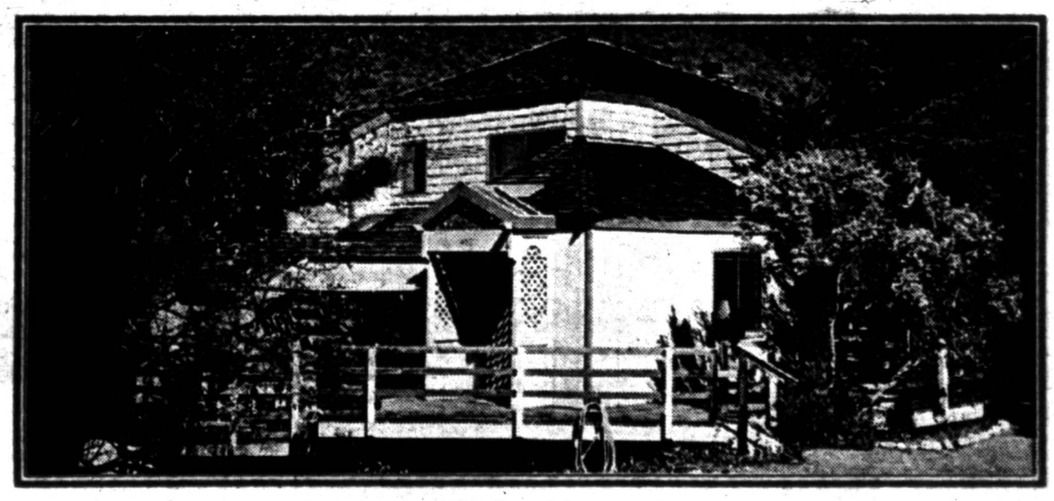

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Boz Scaggs slates second concert at Doubletree

A SECOND DATE has been added for this weekend's appearance by **Boz Scaggs** at the Doubletree Hotel. Although tickets are no longer available at BASS outlets for this Saturday's concert, some tickets will be available at the door. Advance tickets should still be available for the Sunday concert. Scaggs, who is currently performing his first club and small hall dates in more than 25 years, will be playing the music that he really loves. Stressed promoter Peter Fields of Santa Cruz Concerts, "Make sure to let everyone know that this is not going to be a tuxedo affair. Be prepared to get down to some funky rhythm and blues."

Plugged In

By Stephen L. Vagnini

Touring in support of his new Virgin Records release, *Come on Home*, Scaggs will be accompanied by a crack all-star band that includes guitarist **Steve Freund** (James Cotton Blues Band); keyboardist **Jim Pugh** (Chris Issak and Robert Cray Band); bassist **Hutch Hutchinson** and drummer **Tony Branagel** (the rhythm section for Bonnie Raitt); and the horn section for Tony, Tone, Toni comprised of **Bill Ortiz** on trumpet and **Norbert Stachel** on tenor and baritone sax.

Said Scaggs recently about his latest project, "I've wanted to do this rhythm and blues album for a long time. I grew up on this music, and this record is a tribute to some of my heroes." Considered a major contributor himself to the rhythm and blues tradition, Scaggs kept a relatively low profile throughout the '80s. After an eight-year hiatus he released *Other Roads* in 1988 and joined Donald Fagan's Rock and Soul Revue in 1992. With his latest release and tour Boz Scaggs comes full circle. "This is the music of hot night spots and road shows as well as the Saturday night barbecues and Blue Mondays," Scaggs says, "from the period when the blues had grown up a bit."

Doors open at 7 p.m. Concert starts at 8 p.m. with special guests opening.

Rhythm and blues heard regularly around the Monterey Peninsula

In addition to this weekend's rare local appearance by Boz Scaggs, rhythm and blues can be heard regularly throughout the area at a host of assorted venues, most notably Doc's Nightclub on Cannery Row. Recognized by most as the best all-around local venue for live music, Doc's thrives on r&b and the blues. This weekend and next is no exception with the appearance of **John "Broadway" Tucker** and the **Broadway Band** on Friday; Blind Pig recording artist **Deborah Coleman** on Saturday; **Buddy Lowe** with his own blues revue on Friday, March 21; and guitarist **Paris Slim** on Saturday, March 22.

The Broadway Band (managed for more than 10 years by this writer) has recently added three female vocalists (Judy Di Franco, Kim Weir and Mary McRory) and the response has been overwhelmingly positive. Buddy Lowe, longtime radio and television personality and the host of Doc's Saturday night blues performances makes his first local appearance with an all-star lineup of blues musicians from the San Francisco area including slick guitarist **Anthony Paule.**

Lowe served as a master of ceremonies for the Monterey Blues Festival for nine years and is a regular on local radio. His past career as jazz drummer, singer and producer of concerts and television pilots is not as well known. He has worked with B.B. King in Tennessee and Wolfman Jack in Los Angeles — a small part of a career as musician and radio personality that spans more than four decades. And as can been seen next Friday at Doc's, the man can belt out a blues tune as well.

The Blue Tornados

Over the hill at the mouth of Carmel Valley on Friday at **Chevy's Mexican Restaurant** (located in the Crossroads Shopping Center), a "romance party" sponsored by **imagine enterprises** will feature two popular local bands, **Red Beans & Rice** and the **Blue Tornados** (both also managed by moi). Red Beans & Rice, one of the few local bands to perform regularly outside of the Monterey area, has recent-

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On the Cover

At the Monterey Bay Aquarium...

Besieged fisheries focus of special exhibit

"FISHING FOR Solutions: What's the Catch?" can be viewed upstairs in the special exhibits section of the aquarium on Cannery Row. This new offering introduces visitors to the ins and outs of shrimp fishing while it explores solutions to problems facing all fisheries worldwide.

A walk through the exhibit will cover key issues like overfishing, which has caused the collapse of seemingly boundless fisheries; bycatch, where tons of fish are killed inadvertently and then thrown away because they're caught by fishermen seeking other species; coastal habitat destruction, which is wiping out the wetlands so vital as nurseries for young fishes; and human population growth, which accelerates coastal development and increases the demand for seafood, putting more pressure on fisheries.

Admission to "Fishing for Solutions" is included with regular admission of $14.75 adults; $11.75 seniors over 65 and students 13-17 or with college I.D.; and $6 children 3-12 and the disabled. Children under 3 are admitted free. Tickets can be purchased at all Northern California BASS outlets or by calling the aquarium at (800) 756-3737.

The Irish discover America and the rest of the world

By PATRICK WHITEHURST

NO ONE KNOWS exactly when the Irish discovered that the world is round. However, when they did they certainly took advantage of it ... and they still are.

Brendan the Navigator, a seafaring holy man and abbot from County Kerry, Ireland took off with a few of his monks in a 40-foot cow hide boat (a curragh) and discovered the New World almost a thousand years before that Italian guy got some Spanish backing and three leaky boats from an enraptured queen and then got himself hopelessly confused in the Atlantic.

On the other hand, Brendan knew where he was and where he was headed. Not necessarily where he was going, like to Ashbury Park, New Jersey, but his journey, documented in a medieval manuscript, "Voyage of St. Brendan the Abbot," records that he knew, navigation-wise, where he was almost all the time.

Brendan's boat was a marvel of inefficiency; a framework of bent poles and twigs covered with leather, the stitched seams sealed with pitch, and the whole clumsy thing propelled by wind, currents and stick-like oars.

The remarkable thing is not that Brendan got to the New World, but that he got back home to Ireland.

Now Ireland is smaller than the state of Indiana, and hitting that bullseye was pretty fine navigating. But Brendan did it! Unbelievable for a bunch of monks in a 40-foot leather boat!

(Honest, it was leather ... no Blarney.)

There is a statue in Wolfe Tone Square, Bantry, County Cork, in Brendan's honor. It faces west toward the bay and the open Atlantic. Behind the full, black stone figure of Brendan, is the prow of his boat.

In a lashing, full-blown gale the figure seems alive, his cloak billows and water streams from his face.

To begin with, 13 of our presidents descended from Irish stock and include three who were first-generation Americans.

There are some who believe this was near his point of departure. I don't. But that is a matter for dispute and discussion far too dull to be considered here.

The point is; after Brendan chronicled his voyage the Irish took off for the next 1,500 years to prove the world was indeed ... round, and since then the Irish have left their mark wherever they have set foot. In undertakings as diverse as finance and medicine, education, literature and architecture, sports, politics, horse thievery and piracy, Irish names hold a place in history.

Dear friends and families of Hibernia, on St. Patrick's Day, armed with these facts, you can mount to the podium

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Vintage Neil Simon comedy 'The Sunshine Boys' proves refreshing; laughs come fast on MPC Main Stage

By JAMES P. KINNEY

EXPERIENCING NEIL SIMON'S "The Sunshine Boys" on MPC's Main Stage this past Saturday night might be compared to a purring return in a classic touring car to the familiar tempo of a small town in escaping the chaotic, angry streets of the big city.

At a time when humor seems aggressively determined to define itself by the strident mirthlessness of "The Simpsons," the mindless violence of "Beavis and Butthead" and the abrasive egocentrism of Howard Stern, how refreshing to experience humor that appears to flow effortlessly, rooted in the sharply observed, cleanly exposed foibles and frailties of contemporary *Hominem Americanum Absurdum.*

Theater Review

When it comes to American dramatists of the second half of the 20th century, I think Neil Simon deserves, for the skillful handling of his comedic scalpel in numerous successful plays, to be awarded the lifetime title of *Doctor*

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Morgan Stock (left) and Joe Yedlicka play scrappy ex-Vaudeville performers in Neil Simon's 'The Sunshine Boys.' Kent Carlson, right, plays Ben Silverman.

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Some call these heralds of spring wildflowers, others call them weeds

NOW THAT THE RAINS have done their magic, the hillsides and meadows have been transformed into a romp of color — yellows, blues and greens with accents of orange, rust and vermilion. Like the phoenix bird arising once more, the spring sunshine is nudging the dormant wild flowers and herbs out of their winter sleep.

Wispy pale shoots are pushing up through the soil and rosettes of new growth are chomping at the knees of the old grandfather stalks. I am greeted everywhere by my old favorites as I go walking, conscious of the blaze of these spring tidings. And beyond just being pretty, many of these plants are edible.

Apron Strings

By Deborah Smith

Growing in our area are wild mustard and onions; miner's lettuce; chickweed; clovers; buttercups; forget-me-nots; lamb's quarters; thistles; New Zealand spinach, growing near the beach; dock; mugwort, which crushed and put under your pillow will entice sweet dreams or steeped as a tea aids digestion and relieves menstrual cramps and bouts of gout.

Search out anise; yarrow, which if put directly on a wound acts as a coagulant; sorrel; rocket; yellow-headed sour grass, which children chew on religiously each spring; nettles, though rich in iron and vitamins, I avoid picking them because I always get stung.

Dip the yellow heads of dandelion in a beaten egg, roll in crushed, salted cracker crumbs and fry in butter until crisp. You'll see yerba buena, from the square-stemmed mint family; the plantains; watercress; sticky monkey and Indian paintbrush, both abundant on Point Lobos and the low lying meadows bordering the sea. Some call these heralds of spring wildflowers, others call them weeds.

Brutal definition

The dictionary is very brutal in its definition of a weed, "Any troublesome, useless plant." Countless so-called weeds have been used medicinally and as food for thousands of years. However, many of these plants are not native to our area. The Indians called the broad leaf plantain White Man's Foot, as it appeared just when the colonists arrived. Portola, on his march up the California coast in 1769, scattered mustard seeds, so we have him to thank for the yellow hues that adorn our fields. Other alien seeds arrived in the New World unnoticed, riding shotgun on livestock, slipping into packing crates, just nudging along as guests in every way possible, even on the soles of shoes.

How the early colonists and Indians must have reveled in this time of year, with the meadows and pastures giving up a variety of fresh food. Both considered early greens blood purifiers and spring tonics. The therapeutic value of these compounds comes from alkaloids, organic nitrogenous compounds which cause beneficial chemical reactions in the body. Since our ancestors' were starved for these compounds during winter months, when fresh produce was not available, spring's tender greens must have been a welcome sight.

When you gather edible greens, be sure you pick what you think you know — it's usually a good idea to bring along a knowledgeable friend the first few times you go foraging. Avoid plants that have grown by the exhaust-saturated roadside or near sprayed lawns. Wash all plants thoroughly, even though they appear to be clean.

Most of the early tender-leaf greens can be turned into the finest of spring salads. Pick it, taste it (personally, I don't care for dock), wash it and serve it. The chopped bulb of wild onions or a sprinkling of wild anise seeds are a crunchy addition. Then garnish your salad with snippets of yellow mustard or pale lavender rocket flowers, or the gaudy garden escapee, nasturtiums.

Another suggestion is to create a nice thick good-for-you soup like watercress or

Sheep Sorrel and Potato Soup

Wild sorrel grows abundantly on the peninsula. The small green leaves resemble tiny sheep heads, little ears and all. Look for feathery rust-colored clumps six to eight inches high. The sheep are grazing underneath. I usually dig up a hunk and replant it where it will flourish with lots of sun and water. Then when you want to make soup, round

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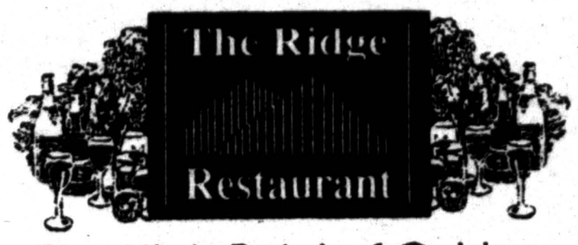
■ *'Apron Strings,' written by Carmel resident Deborah Smith, appears twice monthly in Peninsula.*



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THEATER

Staff Players artfully stage 'Spoon River Anthology'

By MARK SHILSTONE-LAURENT

I HAVE to 'fess up. When I go to the theater, I bring a certain prejudice with me that I can't shake. I'm a sucker for good acting, or at least for a piece of theater that features the actor.

Sure, it's the most obvious aspect of the theater art, but there's plenty of other elements to focus on — the directing, the lights, the costumes, the set. But give me some good actors and some good words and you can keep all of that other stuff.

With that in mind, it's no wonder I had a ball at The Staff Players' current production of Edgar Lee Masters' "Spoon River Anthology." It's an entire evening of nine fine actors and a collection of beautiful and haunting poem/monologues for them to play with. The play runs through March 29th at The Indoor Forest Theatre in Carmel.

Amazing body of poems

Masters' amazing body of poems, written in the early part of the century, recounts the joys, tragedies and wishes of a graveyard full of Spoon Riverites — their successes, their failures and their dreams, those fulfilled and those sadly unrealized. It provides marvelous fodder for these talented performers and they make the most of it.

Director Marcia Hovick has chosen 50 of Masters' Spoon River poems, and adroitly staged a bare bones, let-the-actors-and-the-words-do-the-work production. The five women and four men entertain us with their rapid and varied shifts in character, tone and attitude, each one taking on countless different roles as the evening plays itself out.

The ensemble features Neva Hahn, Susan Keenan, Jill Jackson, Anne Hoffman and Tricia Wayne as the female voices of Spoon River, and Ron Cohen, Flip Baldwin, Peter Eberhardt and Miki Ah Heong as the men. Philip Pearce and Philip Clarkson fill in for some performances.

■ *Mark Shilstone-Laurent is a local actor, director and college instructor.*

They are all successful in creating varied and differing characters, but a few stand out. Jill Jackson, whose high energy and intensely focused style I first saw in last year's stunning Western Stage production of "Woody Guthrie's American Song," leads the way. She demonstrates the breadth of her talent in her many fine monologues, but also in her musicianship, opening each act with a song.

The Staff Players staging of 'Spoon River Anthology' features, from bottom left: Ron Cohen, Flip Baldwin, Philip Pearce and Peter Eberhardt.

Jackson reminds one of a younger version of local favorite Rosamond Goodrich. She is intense and focused, and knows how to find the interesting turn to a line. If there is a negative here at all, it's that she sometimes needs to better adjust to the tiny confines of the Indoor Forest Theatre. Basically, she occasionally lets her energy get away from her.

Neva Hahn, one of the area's busiest and most traveled performers, is once again right on the money. She can use her unique voice to rant and rave or to bill and coo, whatever the next monologue calls for.

But to be fair, Susan Keenan, Anne Hoffman and Tricia Wayne all have plenty of fine moments as well, especially the sassy young Hoffman who plumbs the depths of the curses and blessings of being young and beautiful.

On the men's side, the performances are all strong as well, but "Spoon River" is the perfect vehicle to showcase the talents of the golden-throated Peter Eberhardt. The guy's got a great set of pipes — words actually make reservations to be spoken by his mouth. Match that to the great writing and enjoy.

Ron Cohen, one of the most versatile and traveled actors in the area, has a lot of strengths, but his greatest asset is his almost clinical yet sympathetic understanding of "the sense" of what is being said. His Shakespeare stuff is always the cleanest in terms of meaning — one of the only actors I know who can pull off those long, expositional Shakespearean monologues and actually make them sound INTERESTING. And although this isn't Shakespeare, he's got that whole mojo working for him big time in "Spoon River."

Flip Baldwin shines as well. However, more voice and physical suggestion of change would help when the monologues are so many and so varied.

Miki Ah Heong is probably simply unfairly overmatched by his three seasoned cronies. He pulls off some very fine stuff, but overall he just can't quite keep up with the old fogies.

As for Hovick's directing, she is clearly in her element and it shows. She too is a sucker for good words and good performers, and she has really orchestrated this vastness of stuff into a well-staged, well-oiled production. The simplicity — bare stage but for a pale, gray authentic skyline of the hill above the cemetery; ensemble, neutral costuming — allows the author and the performers to do it all.

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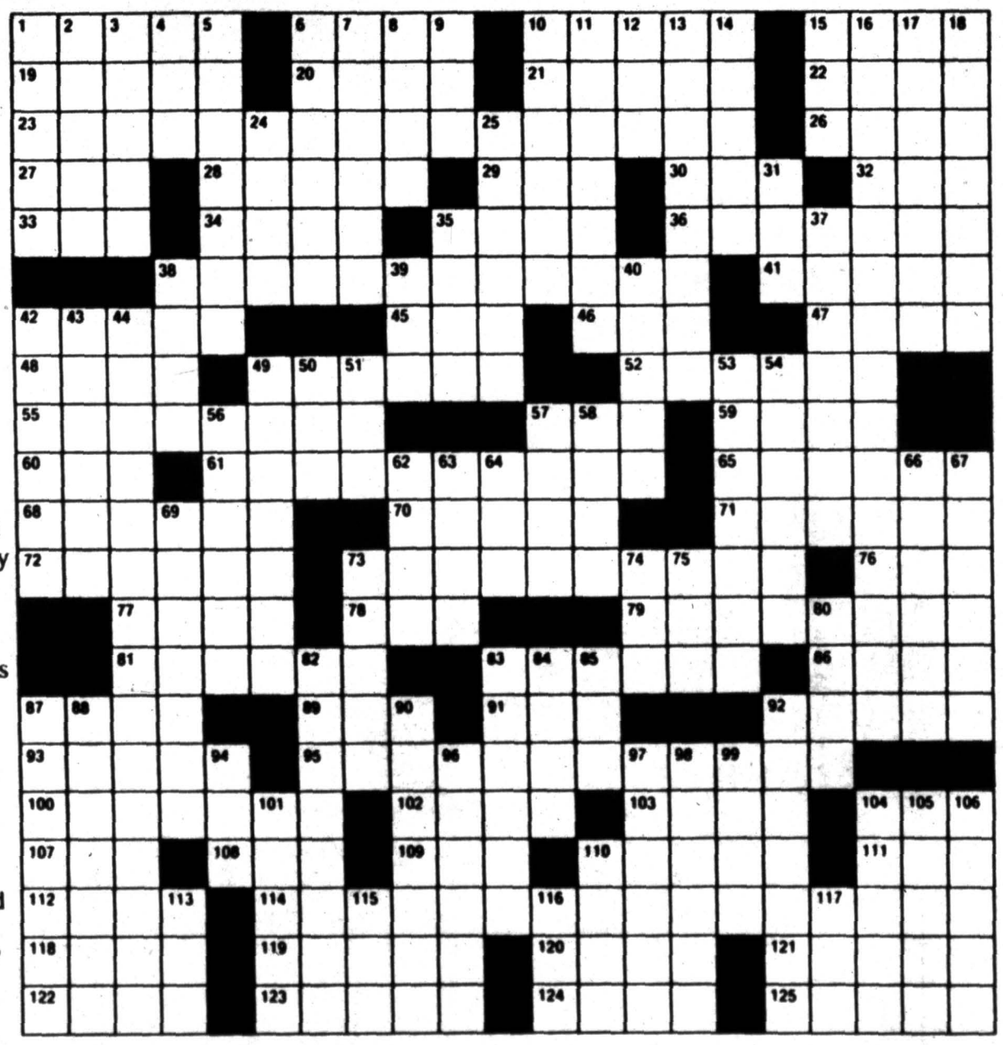
103 Deep blue
104 Nobelist Hammarskjöld
107 Maria, for one
108 List ender
109 Constrain
110 Rush
111 Low note
112 Biting
114 Goings-on at the church fair?
118 "—— la Douce"
119 Had dinner delivered
120 Like one side of a ship
121 Laertes and Ophelia
122 They, in Trieste
123 Nashville —— (60's pop group)
124 Trade center
125 Año nuevo time

DOWN

1 Enticed, with "in"
2 Dean Martin topic
3 Taken
4 —— Roger de Coverley (country dance)
5 Abated
6 Flip
7 Emulated Groucho Marx
8 Miró compatriot
9 Holly Hunter in "The Piano"
10 Recess
11 Plains family
12 Cycle starter
13 Payback
14 Luxury car —— Martin
15 "Gotcha!"
16 Offerings at a downscale eatery?
17 Encompassing
18 Lives
24 They go to waist
25 Spurts of activity
31 Uganda's Amin
35 "—— was a cunning hunter": Genesis
37 Relaxes
38 Nursery rhyme girl
39 L.I. zone
40 Veridicality
42 Classic Gershwin song
43 Landlord's need
44 Government fashion decree?
49 Summer needs
50 Mai ——
51 Or's go-with
53 Stirring up
54 City WSW of Milano
56 European airline
57 Place for a throne
58 Problem for a suited-up diver?
62 "——, 'tis true I have gone here and there": Shak.
63 Preoccupied
64 Tour organizer, for short
66 Enumerate
67 Wraps
69 Sports car feature
73 Having learned a lesson
74 Japan's largest lake
75 Waiting period, seemingly
80 Tabula ——
82 Curtail
83 Persiflage
84 Easter features
85 ——-Freudian
87 F.D.R.'s Fala, e.g.
88 Blini accompaniments
90 Forbear
92 "The House of the Spirits" author
94 Sei halved
96 Kurds and Turks
97 Ice-T or Eazy-E
98 Sulking
99 Word for the diet-conscious
101 In a box, in a way
104 "Death, Be Not Proud" poet
105 Choler
106 Artist's plaster
110 Large hall
113 —— kwon do
115 Small section of a dictionary
116 Country ——
117 Golfer Woosnam



Answers to last week's puzzle on page 9B

THEATER

'Passion' leaves this viewer 'miserably ever after'

By JOAN DRUMMOND MILLER

WANT TO SPEND an evening with an ugly, whiny, manipulative woman? Fosca, the heroine of Stephen Sondheim's "Passion," is as much fun as a Dristan commercial.

Obsessed with ruins, sickness, death and a young soldier, Giorgio, Fosca becomes an emotional stalker *par excellence*, never relenting in her vampire pursuits.

This wolfish invalid is so irritating you want to get away from her as much as Giorgio does. He finds her repulsive, and rightly fears she will suck him dry.

The program notes promised I would not be depressed, but inspired and elevated to a realization of what the true meaning of love is. But I was depressed, perhaps because of the play's "wisdom." Love is "as pure as breath, as permanent as death, implacable as stone." "Love (is) without reason, love (is) without mercy, love (is) without pride or shame." Love has "no wisdom, no judgment, no caution, no blame." I've never heard so much murky philosophizing about the nature of love since the Romantics went overboard. At least their productions were short.

John Newkirk portrays the wandering Giorgio and Allison Hilliard is his mistress, Clara, in the Pacific Repertory Theatre staging of 'Passion.'

Fosca's only real interest is her pain and approaching death. With most people, a declaration of love obtained through emotional blackmail wouldn't mean much. But this apparently isn't the case with Fosca, who dictates her own love letter and forces Giorgio to sign it.

Who picked this musical? How sad that the impressive acting and singing talents of Pacific Repertory Theatre are wasted on a vehicle of such slight merit.

Dirge toward death

This dirge toward death has no good tunes, either. Sondheim's whole career has been a revolt against the Rogers-Hart-Hammerstein melodic line. He's still remaking the American musical into something more operatic, leaving out arias and pushing recitative. The result is a score with too few dramatic moments.

Singing Sondheim is difficult, but the three principals, Allison Hilliard (Clara), MaryAnn Schaupp (Fosca), and John Newkirk (Giorgio) manage his never-ending wanderings with ease. They all have power to spare, and are aided by the incisive, controlled and excellent direction of Stephen Tosh, who with his associates Mike Yacco on bass and Richard Conklin, percussion, give the performance coherence.

Acting is competent, except when the script does them in, as when Giorgio makes an about-face from loving his beautiful mistress, Clara, to loving Fosca. No actor could make that believable.

As I've come to expect from Pacific Rep., set design, execution and lighting are flawless; Mark Haniuk, Ed Hills and Dave Parker did the good work. Rhonda Griffith did some beautiful costuming.

The worst thing about "Passion" is there isn't any. "Obsession" would have been a better title. Sondheim apparently doesn't know the difference.

■ *Joan Miller is an author, filmmaker and teacher who resides in Carmel.*

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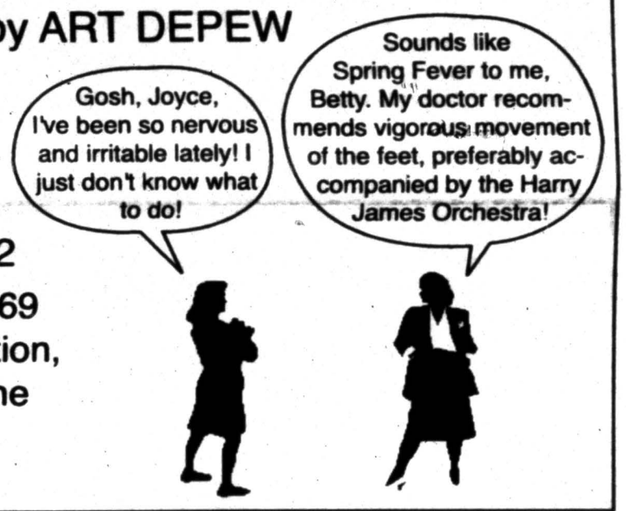
Gosh, Joyce, I've been so nervous and irritable lately! I just don't know what to do!
Sounds like Spring Fever to me, Betty. My doctor recommends vigorous movement of the feet, preferably accompanied by the Harry James Orchestra!
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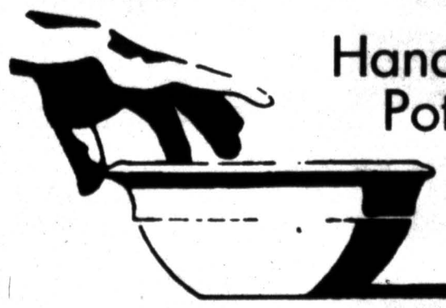
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STAR WARS (PG)
11:00 1:45 4:30 7:15 10:00
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12:00 2:30 5:00 7:30 10:00
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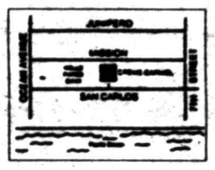

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THURSDAY 13

MUSIC/DANCE

Brazilian Jazz with The Helcio Milito Trio featuring flautist Tim Jackson and Kenny Stahl — The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

Funk and R&B with Dennis Murphy & the All Stars — Cibo, 301 Alvarado, Monterey, 9 p.m.-12:30 a.m., no cover. Phone 649-8151.

The Dino Vera Duo — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 7-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

Live Arabic music featuring recording artists Tarek Omar and Rajab Juma, with dance artists Nashwa and Mee'Sha, Diana and Uzza, 8 p.m. at The Mariposa Grill, 1120 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. Reservations: 642-9303.

The Carmel Music Society presents Joshua Bell, violin; and Jean-Yves Thibaudet, piano, in concert, 8 p.m. at Sunset Theater, San Carlos at 9th, Carmel. Tickets: $35, $25 and $15. Phone 625-9935.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

The Cannery Row Foundation in cooperation with the **Monterey Bay Aquarium** sponsors "Forum: Presenting Cannery Row," featuring the film, "Street of the Sardine." Program begins 7 p.m. at the Monterey Bay Aquarium Education Center, Cannery Row. Free. Phone 372-8512.

Vipassana meditation presented by Monterey Peninsula Friends of C.G. Jung 7:30 p.m. weekly at 284 Foam St., Monterey. Donation requested. Reservations: 649-4018.

MISCELLANEOUS

Books and Dinner — Tonight marks the first meeting of this new club in which six books will be reviewed, one by an author whenever possible. Dinner will be served 6 p.m. at the Thunderbird Cafe in the Barnyard, Carmel. Cost: $12.50. Reservations: 624-1803.

FRIDAY 14

MUSIC/DANCE

Jazz with the Helcio Milito Trio featuring jazz vocalist Lauri Hofer — Lobby Lounge, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

Guitarist Robert McNamara — The Bay Club, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-10:30 p.m. Phone 647-7500.

Dino Vera — Terrace Lounge, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 5:30 - 8 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

Portofino Presents The Black Brothers, Michael, Martin and Shay, from Ireland, 8 p.m. at the Pacific Grove Art Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. Tickets are $11/$10 in advance; $12 at the door. Phone 373-7379.

Dino Vera & Django — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 10 p.m.-1 a.m. Phone 624-3811.

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Jazz/R&B with Neil Banks and Friends — Cibo, 301 Alvarado, Monterey, 9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m., no cover. Phone 649-8151.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

Representatives of several leading ocean conservation organizations will discuss the threats facing world fisheries, 11 a.m. to noon in the auditorium, Monterey Bay Aquarium. Phone 648-4800.

Alliance on Aging Senior Outreach Luncheon features Nancy Nicholson, Ph.D., discussing "Asteroids, Comets and Our Planet Earth," noon at the Pacific Grove Community Center, 515 Junipero Ave., Pacific Grove. $3 donation. Phone 646-4636.

Jung Friends explore "The Psychological Meaning of Greek Mythology," from the seminar notes of Jungian analyst Edward F. Edinger, 7 p.m., 284 Foam St., Monterey. Reservations: 649-4018.

MISCELLANEOUS

American Indian Traders Guild Exposition and Sale: Works by more than 40 Native American artists, from 2 to 7 p.m. in the Salinas Room of the Monterey Fairgrounds. Admission: $4.75 adults/$2 children. Phone 372-5863.

Friends of the Monterey County Symphony present luncheon with cellist Dmitry Yablonsky. Cocktails served 11:30 a.m. at Quail Lodge in Carmel Valley, followed by lunch; $25 for members, $27 for others. Reservations: 624-8511.

National Writer's Union Discovery Reading: Hear five writers read their prose/poetry: Kim Nelson, Don Eddy, Cecelia Bayes, Amy Yinger and Carolye Kuchta; 7:30 p.m. at the Thunderbird Bookshop, The Barnyard, Carmel. $5. Phone: 624-1803.

SATURDAY 15

MUSIC/DANCE

Jazz with the Helcio Milito Trio featuring bassist Tom Bockhold and vibraphonist Rob Lautz — Lobby Lounge, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

Made in the Shade, a traditional jazz group, appears 8 p.m. in the Pacific Grove Art Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. Tickets: $10. Reservations: call Portofino Presents, 373-7379.

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LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

Monterey College of Law presents a "Legal Career Forum," 10 a.m. to noon at the college, 404 Franklin St., Monterey. Free. Reservations required. Call 373-3301.

The Grove Homescapes presents flower artist Michael Weidner interpreting the works of photographer P.K. Harris. Demonstration is set 1 to 3 p.m. at The Grove, 472 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. Phone 656-0864.

Charles Snorf, M.D., will talk about his travels and work in Bhutan and Viet Nam, 2 p.m. at the Carmel Valley Library, 65 W. Carmel Valley Road, CV Village. Free. Phone 659-2377.

Continuing the Peace Dialogue presents Zoya Zarubina, teacher, linguist and interpreter, who will speak on "Russia — An Historical Perspective," 4 to 6 p.m. in the community room of The Barnyard, Carmel Rancho Boulevard, Carmel. Free will offerings accepted. Phone: 659-3758.

MISCELLANEOUS

Monterey Bay Spring Arts and Crafts Faire produced by Pacific Repertory Theatre to benefit the Monterey Bay TheatreFest, 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. at the outdoor Custom House Plaza, near Fisherman's Wharf, Monterey. Phone: 622-0700.

POM Annex Yard Sale features 200 vendors, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Second Avenue lot on the POM Annex, located through the main gate of the former Fort Ord. Phone 394-0465.

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"Fishing for Solutions: What's the Catch," special exhibition focusing on problems facing worldwide fisheries, opens today at Monterey Bay Aquarium. Phone: 648-4800.

Pacific Grove presents "Burst of Spring" celebration, featuring live entertainment for children and adults, a visit from the Easter Bunny, Easter eggs filled with coupons and a Spring Kids' Closet Swap Meet, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in downtown Pacific Grove. Phone 373-3304.

Peg Bracken signs her book, "On Getting Old for the First Time," 1 to 3 p.m. at The Thunderbird Bookshop in The Barnyard, Carmel. Phone: 624-1803.

Michel Escoffier, great-grandson of the chef dubbed "Emperor of the World's Kitchens," and author of August Escoffier's biography, attends a dinner in his honor, 6:30 p.m. at Carmel Valley Ranch. The meal will include lecture, book signing and discussion. Reservations: 622-9936 or 625-1133.

Martial artists from the Monterey Bay area will celebrate International Women's Day during "Gathering Spirit," with performances by women and girl martial artists, 7 p.m. in Steinbeck Forum, Monterey Conference Center, 1 Portola Plaza, Monterey. Tickets: $10 to $14. Phone 375-6797.

SUNDAY 16

MUSIC/DANCE

The Monterey Hot Jazz Society's monthly hot jazz party arrives 1 to 5 p.m. at the Moose Lodge, 555 Canyon del Rey, Del Rey Oaks. There will be open jam sets for any who want to join in. Admission is $3 members; $4 other club's members; $5 other visitors. Phone 625-5539.

The Monterey County Symphony is joined by Jean and Dmitry Yablonsky and Oxana Yablonskaya, 3 p.m. in Sunset Theater, San Carlos at 9th, Carmel. Tickets are $32, $28 and $16. Reservations: 624-8511.

The Occidental College Singers present a program of choral music, 7 p.m. at All Saints Church, Carmel. Free. Phone 624-3883.

Pianist Jan Deneau — Terrace Lounge, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 8-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

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Jazz with the Joe Lucido Trio — Cibo, 301 Alvarado, Monterey, 8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m., no cover. Phone 649-8151.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

Learn about the "Nine Guiding Principles for the Parenting Journey," during a mini workshop for parents led by author Janis Keyser, co-author of "Becoming the Parent You Want to Be." Program begins 2 p.m. in the Bonsai Room of the DoubleTree Hotel, Monterey. $5. Phone: 375-1855.

"History and Status of the Sea Otter" will be discussed by Jim Estes, Ph.D., Sea Otter Project leader at the Institute of Marine Sciences, UC Santa Cruz. Free program begins 2 p.m. at the Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History, Forest and Central, Pacific Grove. Phone 648-3116.

"The Connection Between Art and Social Events" will be discussed by Dick Crispo 3 p.m. at the Carmel Art Association, Dolores between 5th and 6th, Carmel. Phone 624-6176.

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Rare Finds on the Peninsula

Monterey Public Library

Low-cost and/or free entertainment and educational offerings abound at **Monterey Public Library**. Located at 625 Pacific St. in Monterey, the library is currently offering a series of acoustic music concerts.

"Favorite Folk Songs of our Parents" is the Thursday, April 10 concert in the series. The program will feature Kimball Hurd and Roger Feuer, founding members of the City Folk trio. Be prepared to listen, reflect and sing along to such favorites as "Red River Valley," "Banjo in the Hollow" and "Rally 'Round the Flag." They will perform these pieces on vintage guitar, mandolin, mandola, dobro, banjo and fiddle.

Admission to the 7 p.m. show is $5 or one free with valid MP library card. Reservations are advised since the show will sell-out. Call 646-3930. The concert is for ages 16 and up.

Salon-by-the-Sea

Salon-by-the-Sea is Carmel's full-service salon, offering everything from manicures to Wolfe system tanning and hair design of all kinds.

When it comes to hair, owner Shohnii Hoffman can do it all: updos for special occasions and weddings, highlighting, cutting, perming, long hair styling — for men and for women. She uses ammonia-free Joico products.

Patty Sue is the proprietor of All That Nail Jazz, housed within Salon-by-the-Sea. Here, Patty Sue offers manicures and pedicures in silk, linen, fiberglass and French acrylic. For an appointment, call 625-6405.

Salon-by-the-Sea is located at Seventh and Monte Verde in downtown Carmel. For a hair appointment, call 624-6642.

Villeroy & Boch

Oliver von Boch, ninth generation descendant of Jean Francois Boch, who in 1748 established the pottery business which would become **Villeroy & Boch**, will attend a reception Saturday in Carmel.

Working from his Santa Cruz studio, Von Boch has designed a collection of fused art glass in hot electric colors and primary shades. From 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Von Boch will personally autograph any purchases made at Villeroy & Boch, located on Ocean Avenue between Dolores and Lincoln, Carmel.

The artist will be available to answer questions about his fused glass, which employs a technique that makes use of recycled glass. His designs are noted for their excitement, vitality and new direction.

To learn more, call Villeroy & Boch at 624-8210.

Sandcastles by the Sea

At **Sandcastles by the Sea**, they understand the adage: "Play is the work of childhood." This delightful Barnyard shop brims with toys that spark the imagination and amuse the spirit.

"We believe that toys should be something that enrich the child's life, and not just for the moment, but for a long while," explains Delana Pierce, who co-owns the shop with Suzanne Webb. Sandcastles by the Sea is a wonderland of musical instruments, wooden castles, trains and doll houses, and exquisite games and puzzles from the United States, Canada and Europe.

These are open-ended toys that children can breathe life into, rather than objects that tell the child what they do.

Sandcastles by the Sea is open daily, with extended holiday hours coming soon. 626-8361.

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CALENDAR

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Monterey Bay Spring Arts and Crafts Faire produced by Pacific Repertory Theatre to benefit the Monterey Bay TheatreFest, 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. at the outdoor Custom House Plaza, near Fisherman's Wharf, Monterey. Phone: 622-0700.

MONDAY 17

MUSIC/DANCE

Non-alcoholic celebration of St. Patrick's Day featuring the band Wild Hearts, 7 p.m. at Bay Books and Coffeehouse, 316 Alvarado St., Monterey. Free. Phone 375-1855.

Pianist Jan Deneau — Terrace Lounge, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 8-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

Pianist Don Pendergrass — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 7-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

The Monterey County Symphony is joined by Jean and Dmitry Yablonsky and Oxana Yablonskaya, 8 p.m. in Sunset Theater, San Carlos at 9th, Carmel. Tickets are $32, $28 and $22. Reservations: 624-8511.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

"Dreams: What Can They Mean, If Anything?" presented 7 p.m. weekly by Monterey Peninsula Friends of C.G. Jung at 284 Foam St., Monterey. Reservations: 649-4018.

MISCELLANEOUS

Spring fashion show and catered luncheon sponsored by The Carmel Woman's Club, 11:30 a.m. at the clubhouse, 9th and San Carlos, Carmel. Cost: $20, with proceeds to benefit a local charity. Call 624-1487.

TUESDAY 18

MUSIC/DANCE

Greek folk dance classes — Sunset Center Room 10, San Carlos and Ninth, Carmel, all ages, partners not necessary, beginners 6:30 p.m., intermediates and advanced 7:30-9:30, $4. Phone 375-2549.

The Dino Vera Duo — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 7-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

The Monterey County Symphony is joined by Jean and Dmitry Yablonsky and Oxana Yablonskaya, 8 p.m. in Sherwood Hall, 940 N. Main St., Salinas. Tickets are $25, $18 and $13. Senior and student discounts available. Reservations: 624-8511.

Soul/R&B with the Al James Band — Cibo, 301 Alvarado Ave., Monterey, 9 p.m.-12:30 a.m., no cover. Phone 649-8151.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

Ikebana International Monterey Bay Chapter presents demonstration and workshop on flower arrangement by Stephen Zander, 1 p.m. in the dining room of Hospice House, 100 Barnet Segal Lane, Monterey. Guest fee is $5. Phone 648-7744.

MISCELLANEOUS

Francine Shapiro, Ph.D., discusses and signs her book, "EMDR: The Breakthrough Therapy for Overcoming Anxiety, Stress and Trauma," 7 p.m. at Thunderbird Bookshop in The Barnyard, Carmel. $6. Phone 624-1803.

Cypressaires Barbershop Harmony Chorus meets — Salvation Army Center, Contra Costa Street at Elm Avenue, Seaside, 7:15-10 p.m. Phone 373-1546.

WEDNESDAY 19

MUSIC/DANCE

Monterey International Folk Dancers — Neighborhood Center, Lighthouse and Dickman, Monterey, 7-9:30 p.m., $1, all ages, partners not necessary. Phone 624-6060.

The Monterey County Symphony presents "Family Music Making," the Yablonsky Family performs works by Schubert and Shostakovich, 8 p.m. in Sunset Theater, San Carlos at 9th, Carmel. Tickets are $10, $25 and $30. Reservations: 624-8511.

Jazz/R&B with the Joe Lucido Trio and The Roger Eddy Band — Cibo, 301 Alvarado Ave., Monterey, 9 p.m.-12:30 a.m., no cover. Phone 649-8151.

MISCELLANEOUS

Duplicate bridge — All Saints Church, 9th and Lincoln, Carmel, 1 p.m., $4.25. Phone 625-4307.

Carmel Recreation BINGO (ongoing) — Vista Lobos building, Torres and 4th, Carmel, 2:30 p.m. Phone 625-1255.

Informational gathering and screening of the video, "Broken Arrow," about the planned relocation of Navajo peoples in Big Mountain, AZ; 7 p.m. in the Thunderbird Bookshop Atrium, The Barnyard, Carmel. Free. Phone 624-1803.

Poetry night featuring Elliott Roberts, author of "Bowing, To Receive the Mountain," 7 p.m. at Bay Books, 316 Alvarado St., Monterey. Open mike follows book signing. Free. Phone 375-1855.

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Paula West with the Dick Whittington Trio

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Sat. Mar. 15

Larry Goldings Trio

Pianist and organist Larry Goldings comes to the Jazz Store with Peter Barshay on bass and Eddie Marshall on drums. Influenced by Dave McKenna and Jimmy Smith, Goldings has played with Maceo Parker, Jim Hall and John Scofield, as well as performing with his own group. With Barshay and Marshall, this will be a solid, groove-filled evening.

Sat. Mar. 22

Scotty Wright Trio

Have a wonderful time listening to Scotty Wright's gorgeous velvety voice as he scats, swoons ad swings. Here is a solid improviser who also can deliver lush, romantic ballads in the style of Billy Eckstein or Joe Williams. But his sound is his own, and with his own compositions, he promises to broaden the scope of male jazz vocalists and their repertoire.

Sat. Mar. 29

Mark Levine Trio

Concord jazz recording artist and pianist Mark Levine has performed or recorded with a long list of jazz luminaries, including Woody Shaw, Cal Tjader, and Joe Henderson with his history of playing with Tito Puente, and others, Levine knows his Latin jazz and salsa; but he plays everything well. Peter Barshay will be on bass and Eddie Marshall on drums for a polished set of great jazz.

Fri. Apr. 4

Roy Hargrove Quintet

Roy Hargrove has been blazing trails since leaving school in Dallas, Texas. He has recorded numerous highly acclaimed albums for the Verve label, as well as with others like Shirley Horn and and most recently Oscar Peterson. His appearance at the last Monterey Jazz Festival was memorable, not only for his great technical ability on trumpet, but his feel and obvious love of the music he plays.

Sat. Apr. 19

Bud Shank and David Friesen

Bud Shank returns to the jazz Store after a wonderful show last August celebrating his 50 years performing jazz. he will team up with the unique bass virtuoso David Friesen, who recently performed here with both Danny Zeitlin and Uwe Kopinski. With Shank and Friesen together, you will be treated to an intimate evening with two of the most creative minds in jazz.

Sun. Apr. 20

Kevin Mahogany and the Ace Hill Trio

Kevin Mahogany debuts at the Jazz Store accompanied by the Ace Hill Trio. Mahogany was just voted best male vocalist by the *Jazz Times* reader's poll, passing Joe Williams. He is generally regarded as keeper of the flame for male vocalists, and has garnered great reviews for performances and recordings alike, and last year he performed in the film *Kansas City*. Backed by pianist Ace Hill and his trio, Mahogany's jazz and blues interpretations will be memorable.

Sat. Apr. 26

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Disaster recovery planning is, well, a bit of a disaster

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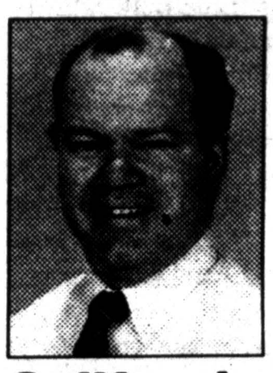

California Trends

By Bradley Inman

But we are lousy at figuring out the best ways to rebuild and pay for the homes, roads and institutions long after the initial jolt from a natural disaster, according to the most comprehensive study of disasters in California. The insurance system doesn't work, the distribution of rebuilding resources is uneven and government programs such as FEMA, HUD and the SBA are uncoordinated.

With a particular focus on the 1994 Northridge earthquake, U.C. Berkeley researchers Mary C. Comerio, John D. Landis and Catherine J. Firpo also examined the Loma Prieta earthquake of 1989, the Oakland hills fire of 1991, the Cape Mendocino earthquakes of 1992 and the Landers-Big Bear temblor in 1992.

In a 200-page research treatise dubbed "Residential Earthquake Recovery," the researchers concluded that rebuilding private property is the biggest expense in the reconstruction process — outpacing the cost of repairing public infrastructure such as roads and government buildings.

> *In the final analysis, no matter how well-prepared the state is for a big earthquake, there will be major damage.*

With a total rebuilding tab of $13 billion, public infrastructure damage from the Northridge earthquake was estimated at $5.9 billion with the remainder for private property construction costs.

The study concluded that single-family homeowners fare the best in the recovery after a disaster but that private insurers do not have a dependable system for evaluating the risk of insuring homeowners in risk-prone areas, and that the new California Earthquake Authority (CEA) will run out of money in a big earthquake.

Moreover, the researchers concluded that the creation of the CEA has moved lawmakers into a mood of complacency about what more they should do about disaster recovery planning. The danger is the legislature thinks that it has solved this problem, concludes the study, which was released earlier this month.

"Although this (the CEA) is a useful first step in restoring the ability of private insurers to underwrite earthquake risk, much more can and should be done to expand the role and effectiveness of private insurance," reads the report. Plus, "we worry that CEA will come to be seen as the final step in addressing California's disaster insurance problems — and not the intermediate step it is."

Overriding conclusion

Indeed, the overriding conclusion of the report is that increasing the use of private insurance is critical to improving the post-disaster recovery picture.

"The more private insurers can do to fairly insure individual homeowners, renters and commercial property owners the better," said Comerio. "We make this argument not out of admiration for the private insurance industry, or because we have been overly impressed with its performance, but because only private insurance companies have access to the volume of capital required to finance reconstruction."

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Monterey

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Pacific Grove

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Carmel/Carmel Highlands

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Carmel Valley

PRICE REDUCED $699,900
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I've got the blues, how about you?

A recipe for conquering the frustration of finding the right colors

Garden Variety

By Thomas Mickler

DOES YOUR garden have a particular style or color theme? Most do not, for instead we plant what looks good in a given area or does well in a certain location. It could be that you like plants to look well together or have favorites and choose these for your home.

Regardless of your type or selection of plants, what is important is that you like what you look at and care for.

Have you ever found yourself, though, looking for something that will fit the right spot in your garden and just cannot find it? It has happened to me many times over.

In a previous article I mentioned that I had a client who had this problem. She liked plants that had blue flowers. This presented me with the challenge of matching the theme of her garden. Well, I've had several requests for my list of "blues," so I decided to make it available to you.

For the sake of space I'm going to give a brief description of each and then list, in this order, the needs of the plants: *light requirements, soil conditions, area for planting size — height times spread, and my own rating of hardiness between 1-5, 1 being the least hardy and 5 being very hardy.*

■ **Ageratum houstonianum, or Floss Flower:** This is a compact plant with showy clusters of blue flowers. Many varieties, but the dwarf ones make for good border or container plants. Long flowering season makes it a popular choice. Blue varieties are "Blue Puff," "Blue Angel," "Blue Bouquet" and others. *Enjoys full sun, any soil as long as well-drained. Avoid windy areas. Size varies with variety: 4" to 1.5' by 8 to 12," rating 3.*

■ **Anchusa azurea:** Related to Myosotis (see page 12B) but is much more showy and has spectacular blue color. This is a large bushy perennial that blooms in summer and fall as long as it is dead-headed of spent blooms. There are dwarf varieties *(A. capensis)* that are annuals that do well as container plants. *Likes full sun, any well-drained soil. Avoid small areas. 3-5' x varies, rating 4.*

■ **Campanula medium calycanthema, or Canterbury Bell-Cup and Saucer:** This tall plant has semi-double flowers in a spiking form. Grows easily from seed and blooms between spring and summer. Dead-heading necessary, and stake flower spikes as they appear. *Appreciates sun with partial shade, any well-drained soil. Makes good background plant, 2'1/2 ' x 1,' rating 4.*

■ **Ceentaurea cyanus, or Cornflower:** Annuals. Blue varieties are "Blue Diadem" and "Blue Ball" which reaches 2-1/2' to 3' tall, and a dwarf one which reaches about 1' and is compact is "Jubilee Gem." Grows easily from seed. Stake flowers as they reach maturity. Foliage is gray-green which adds some difference from standard green foliage. *Enjoys sun to part shade, any well-drained soil. Fine as background or in containers; see above, rating 4-5.*

■ **Convolvulus maurtanicus, or Ground Morning Glory:** Lavender blue funnel-shaped flowers bloom on this perennial with long, trailing branches. There are annual varieties *(C. tricolor)* which also have many blue flowers with differently colored centers. Avoid over-watering. *Likes full sun and any well-drained soil but tolerates poor soil, hillsides or areas needing coverage with little water available. 1-2' x 3', rating 5.*

■ **Heliotropium peruvianum, or Common Heliotrope:** Perennial shrub with rounded massive clusters of flowers. Most available are purple-flowered varieties but if you can find it "Lord Roberts" is a deep blue one. Grow plants together to form mounds with profuse blooms throughout. *Appreciates sun to partial shade, any well-drained soil, containers, corners to background.*

See GARDEN VARIETY page 12B

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OASIS ON SUNSET **$689,000**
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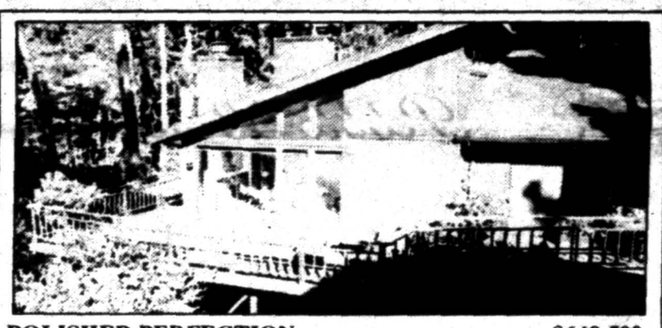
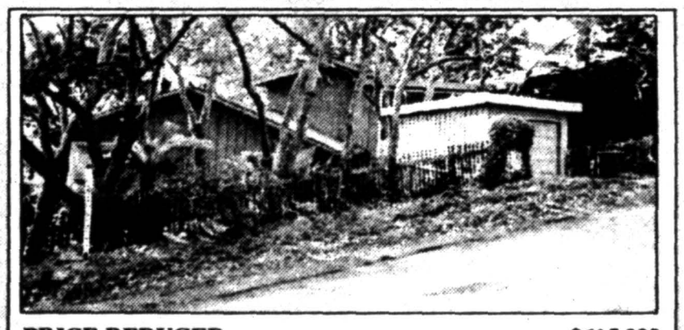
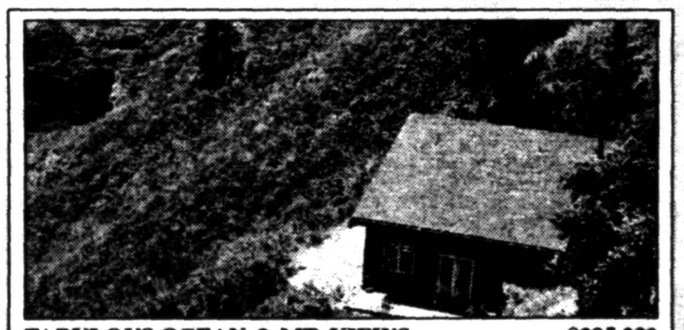


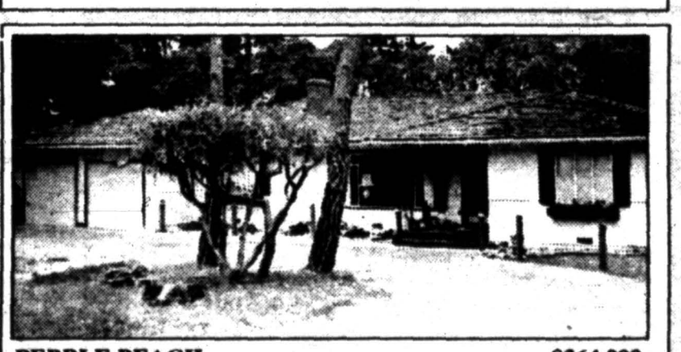
POLISHED PERFECTION **$649,500**
Close to town, this 3 BR/4 BA home includes a sunken living room, dining room with wet bar, gourmet kitchen, 2 dens — each w/fireplace — and a large family room. Expansive wrap-around decks and a front garden patio complete this unbeatable Carmel setting.



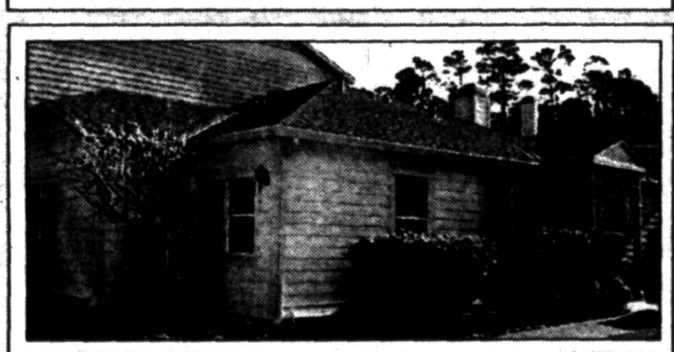
PRICE REDUCED **$615,000**
Three blocks to ocean and/or Carmel shopping. This 3 BR/3 BA home offers filtered ocean views on corner oversized lot. Family room opens to large deck. Master suite on second floor with fireplace. New paint inside and out.



FABULOUS OCEAN & MT. VIEWS **$395,000**
Architecturally designed 8 year old home. Perfect floor plan, open and airy with a very generous sized master suite. Nestled on the prestigious Partington Ridge. This 2 BR/2 BA home is in the ideal spot to enjoy serene living in Henry Miller country.



PEBBLE BEACH **$364,000**
This 3 BR/2.5 BA home is priced for a quick sale. Among the many features of this Pebble Beach home is a spacious remodeled kitchen, wood floors under carpets, cedar line closets, large, fenced yard and circular driveway.



SOOTHING SOUNDS **$278,800**
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From page 10B

The study recommends that government agencies get out of the way of the privately insured recovery effort except for public expenditures for roads, schools, hospitals, government buildings and selected public utilities. Also, government may have to subsidize low-income families because they cannot afford private insurance.

There also must be steps taken to reduce the insurance premiums and award tax breaks for homeowners who improve their property in preparation for a big earthquake.

Specifically, the report recommends that homeowners receive a $2,000 per year earthquake mitigation state income tax credit and that apartment building owners receive the same amount for making upgrades such as anchoring down a foundation and securing flimsy walls.

While a tax credit for home improvements might reduce state tax revenues in the short-term, in the long run it will trim the payouts by the CEA and help the state's balance sheet in the aftermath of a big disaster.

In the final analysis, no matter how well-prepared the state is for a big earthquake, there will be major damage. Part of the preparedness plan should be a strategy for rebuilding quickly, smartly and fairly.

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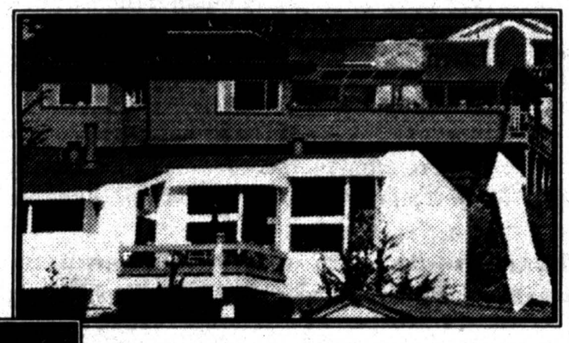

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GARDEN VARIETY

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■ **Lobelia erinus, or Lobelia:** A favorite annual, or in our area a perennial, for borders. Reseeds well and can be allowed to almost care for itself. The blue varieties are "Cambridge Blue" and the trailing one, "Blue Cascade." Low growing and spreading behavior makes it great for almost anywhere you need a small plant. *Likes sun to partial shade; moist, rich, bedding. Makes fine borders and trailing for hanging planters, 2-4" x 12"-plus, rating 4.*

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Now, do some planting and get the blues. Until next time, happy planting and cultivate those "blues."

Thomas Mickler has been in the gardening and landscaping profession for more than a decade. His column appears every other week in the real estate / home & garden section of The Pine Cone. If you have a question for the columnist, he'll provide the answer in a subsequent column. You may contact him at P.O. Box 14, Marina, CA 93933. He's also available by phone at 384-3619.

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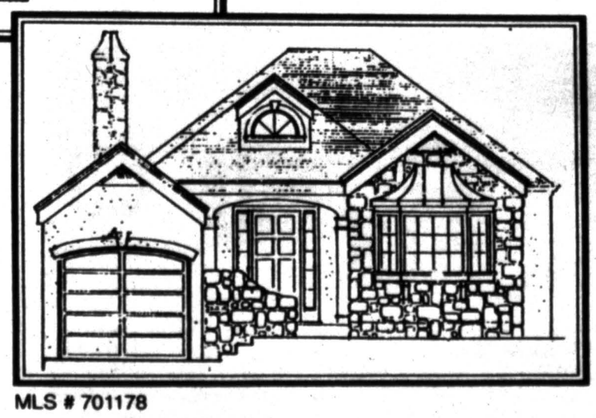

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Inside, you'll find a custom Rumford fireplace with a Douglas fir mantle and pewter limestone hearth.

The kitchen has been lovingly created as well. Featuring a center island and ceramic tile countertops, the kitchen overlooks an enclosed private courtyard.

Upstairs, the master suite offers utter privacy. The second floor's private deck is accessible through French doors.

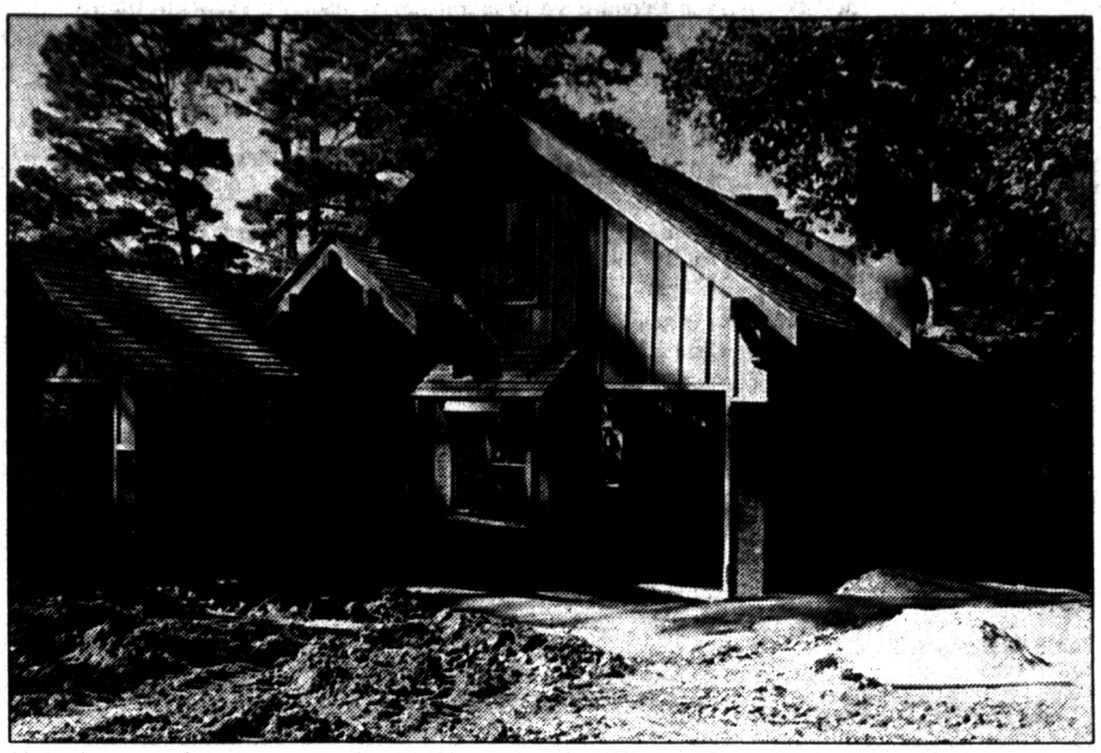
Copper gutters and copper trim accent the exterior.

Indeed, the "Jewel Box" is aptly named.

■ **Address:** Santa Fe, second house southwest of Eighth, Carmel.

■ **Price:** $725,000.

■ **Contact:** Steve Debaradin, Burchell House Properties, 624-6461.



This Carmel-by-the-Sea home — dubbed the 'Jewel Box' — has been given a large dose of TLC, both inside and outside. Burchell House Properties carries the listing for $725,000.

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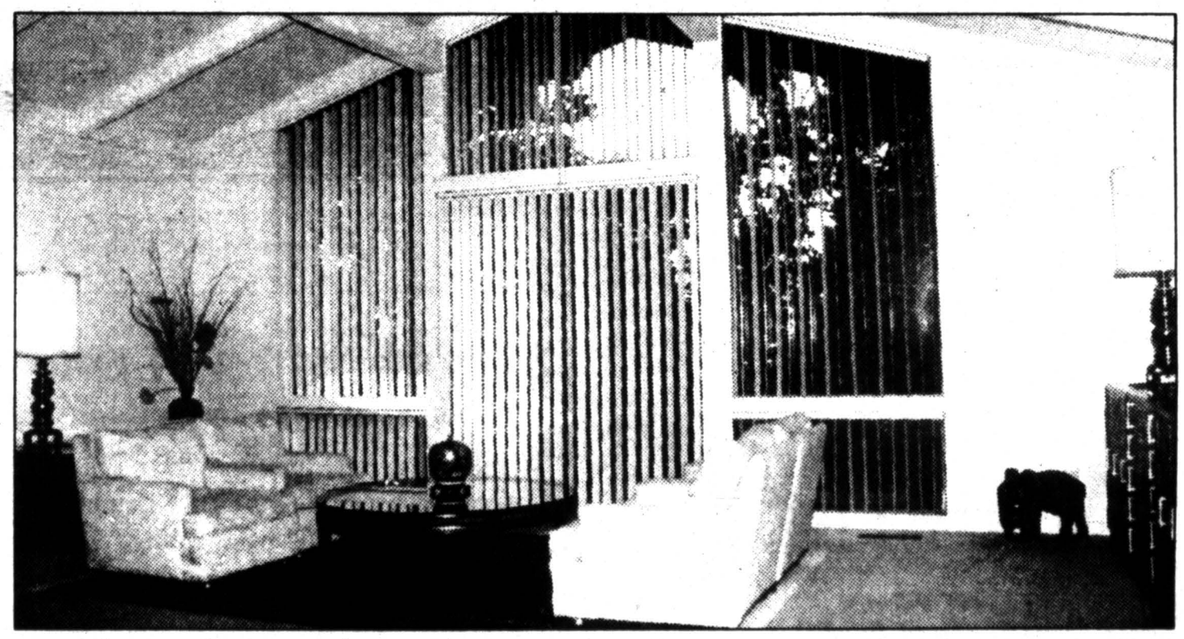

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Willie Clark (Joe Yedlicka) is living alone in a messy New York apartment. His devoted nephew Ben (Kent Carlson) comes by every Wednesday to bring him a copy of Variety and a few cherished cigars. But this week Ben, also his agent, asks Willie to reunite with Al Lewis (Morgan Stock) for a one-time-only T.V. special about classic comedy.

Willie, who had performed successfully with Lewis for 43 years paired as "The Sunshine Boys," is extremely reluctant because of bad feelings between the two comics, but finally agrees to go ahead with the project. The rest of the play unfolds what happens as the two alienated comedians attempt to carry off the project.

And, this being Neil Simon, the laugh lines come fast and furious. But the humor, as I indicated, flows naturally from what Simon gives us early on about the two men and their long relationship. Everything builds and develops in its proper time. The charm of this production is that director Diann Matheson has successfully brought together two sharp, obviously well-trained veteran actors, Stock and Yedlicka, to create the roles. And they are, from the start, clearly having a grand old time of it.

Younger actors could learn much here about basics: projection, diction and stage movement. Line delivery is crisp and clean. Comic timing, a must in a Simon play, is firmly in place. Yedlicka's "Willie," animated, complaining and ever-manipulative, is a partner even a saint would eventually throttle. Stock's sorely tried patience and wounded dignity prevail but never completely mask the underlying affection for his old sparring partner, an important element in the play's satisfying ending.

These guys shine

My problems with Yedlicka's fleeting Jewish accent and Stock's now-you-hear-it-now-you-don't New Jersey one are so minor I'm almost sorry I bring it up. These guys shine!

Carlson's portrayal of the third major role, the nephew Ben, was no easy one. At various times earnest, frustrated, resigned, pleading, at times pushed to his utter limits, Carlson is a very believable buffer between the feuding old troupers. He also gets his share of hearty laughs, no easy task in such fast company.

Veteran Nancy Kocher delivers one of her patented very rounded, totally involving portrayal as the crusty old day nurse in the final scene. And tall, willowy Molly Nance is the sexy young nurse in the earlier scene and is, of course, the object of the old guys' lechery, a stock character from vaudeville. Women's Liberation be damned! Seated in a front row, I wanted that desk lowered just like the Doctor and the Patient in the sketch did!

Jared Wharton was a frazzled T.V. floor manager. Brendan Godfrey was The Patient. Abby Bailey was the Camera Operator.

Scenic designer was David Wagner. Constance Gamiere was costume designer. Lights by S.E. Retsky. Audio design by David Rigmaiden. Overall technician director was D. Thomas Beck. Anne Scanlon was in charge of props. Stage manager was Laura Reyna.

For those grown weary of the mindless, heartless stuff passing itself off these days as humor, listen to doctors' orders from "The Sunshine Boys" and try an old, trusted remedy. Try some vintage Simon, then call them in the morning!

■ *Monterey Peninsula resident James Kinney is a teacher, writer, actor and singer.*

APRON STRINGS...

FROM PAGE 3B

up your grandchildren and pick.

1 gaggle of grandchildren
1 cup sheep sorrel leaves
2 large potatoes, peeled and cubed
4 cups chicken broth
3 green onions, chopped
1/2 cup half and half cream

Place potatoes, sorrel, onions and chicken broth in a covered sauce pan and simmer until potatoes are soft. Turn mixture into blender. Stir in cream, salt and pepper to taste. Float a few sheep heads on top. Serves four.

Spring Tart

Pastry for one pie crust or
1 prepared frozen pie crust
1 cup chopped wild greens
1/2 cup chopped lettuce
Handful of fresh spinach leaves, chopped
1/4 cup snipped parsley
1 cup thinly sliced green onion
4 eggs, beaten
13 oz. package cream cheese, softened
1/2 cup plain yogurt
2 Tbsp. grated Parmesan cheese
1/2 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. pepper
Dash Worcestershire sauce

Bake pastry shell five minutes at 450 degrees. Combine all ingredients, pour into pie shell and bake at 375 degrees for 30 minutes. Allow to stand 10 minutes before serving six.

THE IRISH...

FROM PAGE 2B

with confidence to deliver your colloquy, and in some cases even be proud of your heritage.

To begin with, 13 of our presidents descended from Irish stock and include three who were first-generation Americans. Others on a long and illustrious list are:

Commodore John Barry. "The Father of the American Navy."

Bishop George Berkeley. Philosopher and American educator after whom the University is named. Katie Blaire (Maureen O'Hara). Actress.

Butch Cassidy. Bank and train robber. Buffalo Bill Cody. Buffalo hunter and circus owner. Philip Embury. Founder of American Methodism. Edward J. Flanagan. Founder of Boys' Town. Edward Fox. A financier of the Continental Army. John Hancock. Declaration of Independence signer. James Hoban. Architect of the White House. John P. Holland. Inventor of the modern submarine. Jesse James. All-round bandit and Civil War hero. James Logan. Governor of Pennsylvania. Francis Makemie. Father of American Presbyterianism. Thomas F. Meager. First Governor of Montana. Marion M. Morrison (John Wayne). Actor. A. Turnley Stewart. Founder of the first American chain stores.

And the list goes on and on, but enough is enough. So: ERIN GO BRAGH and have a pint of the "black stuff" to celebrate. No green beer please, "thank you very much."

■ *Patrick Whitehurst is the 'Ireland' editor of the online magazine 'Fine Travel,' who has also been a U.S. Navy pilot, building contractor, restaurateur, writer and remains involved in a 25-year love affair with Carmel.*

PLUGGED IN...

FROM PAGE 2B

ly been booked at the New Orleans by the Bay Festival at the Shoreline Amphitheater in Mountain View and expects to release its second CD sometime this spring. Friday's performance will showcase new original material to be released on said CD.

The Blue Tornados features guitarist **Kevin Conley**, a recent transplant from Los Angeles, who is known as much for prowling through the crowd with his scorching guitar as is he is for the unique tornado shaved on his head. Music starts at 8:30 p.m. with Red Beans & Rice. Admission is $10 at the door, however discounts are available. Call 393-3939, ext. 128 for more info.

Spotlight on Vera

Guitarist **Jim Chatterton** has a unique description for the music played by his band **Vera**. "A swirling psychedelic circus of sound in a neo-post modernist sort of way," he calls it. As heard in a recent four-song demo recorded and mixed at his home recording studio in Sand City, the description does not fall far from its mark. Vera, formerly Vera Lane, was and still is one of the most promising original rock 'n' roll bands to hail from Monterey County. The group's music is both experimental and melodic and above all, original.

Semi-finalists in Musician Magazine's "Best Unsigned Band" competition, Vera has played regularly at the Sand Jams held at the 3 spirits Gallery warehouse in Sand City and can be heard at **McGarrett's** on Friday (unplugged) and Friday, March 21; and at the **Marina Municipal Airport** at 4 p.m. Saturday. The quartet also recently recorded a cut for the "Monterey Rock Showcase," a compilation CD featuring Monterey County rock bands.

Despite having lost its first two lead female vocalists, the core group of Vera (Chatterton, drummer **Steve Parmley**, and bassist **Jim Crall**) has remained the same. More importantly the original trio, together for over two years, has stayed true to their course, writing and recording original material. With the recent addition of singer **Christina DeVeto**, Chatterton now feels that all the right elements are in place. DeVeto, a recent transplant to the Monterey Peninsula via Cleveland has a background as a folk singer and she still sings regularly in a choir. Her well trained voice is the perfect match for the intricate and melodious sound conjured by Chatterton and his bandmates.

Rock 'n' Roll Festival Update

Save for a few pending responses from certain potential headliners, the lineup for this year's **Monterey Rock & Art Festival** has been announced. With financial assistance provided by the Cultural Council for Monterey County, Festival Director **Susan Mallory** and cohorts have assembled an impressive assortment of more than 60 up and coming rock 'n' roll artists from Monterey County, other regions of California and beyond.

Scheduled to coincide with the 30th anniversary of the Monterey International Pop Festival (the weekend of May 10-11) at the historic Monterey County Fairgrounds, the event is designed to revive the spirit of the original festival and promote new music.

Three San Francisco Bay area bands recently nominated for Bammies: The Sunshine Club, crumb and the Brian Jonestown Massacre, will share top billing with Chico's finest, The Mother Hips; Virgin recording artists Royal Trux; The Mermen; and The Uninvited. Local bands, including Free Ears, Trial By Fire, Mockingbird, Vera, Gel, Amazon Mollies, The Mudskippers, Foamscape and many others are well-represented.

Without the assistance of any major sponsorship, the promoters have managed to assemble a respectable lineup for their first effort at a major concert. Music will take place on three stages on Saturday (11 a.m. to 11 p.m.) and on Sunday (11 a.m. to 8 p.m.). Now is the time to show your support. Advance tickets go on sale April 1 at selected locations throughout California. Advance tickets will be $12 or $7 (per day) and $15 or $10 (per day) at day of show.

Sound bytes

Other concerts of note include two performances presented by Barbara Murphy of Portofino Presents. At 8 p.m. Friday at Monterey's Church of Religious Science, the **Black Brothers** (Michael, Martin and Shay) will perform selections from their debut CD, *What A Time*. On Saturday, Boston-based Dixieland Band (comprised of graduates of the Berklee School of Music) **Made in the Shade** will perform at the Pacific Grove Art Center. Advance tickets for both shows are available at the Bookmark, 307 Forest Ave. in Pacific Grove or call 373-7379 for more information.

■ *Stephen L. Vagnini is a self-described music activist who resides in Marina. For more than 15 years Vagnini has promoted concerts, managed bands and covered the local music beat.*

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Monterey County Commission on the Status of Women President Anne Sanchez, Vice President Becky Tyksinski and Wendy La Grange, executive caterer of Tarpy's Roadhouse, turned out at the luncheon held for the 10 outstanding women Saturday, March 1.

Among the 10 outstanding women selected by the Monterey County Commission on the Status of Women were, from left, Veronica DeHerrera Lindsay, Amy L. Roth, Sharon Gross Ray, Verna Woolfolk-Sloan and Frances Pabrua.

Social Spotlight

By Dodie Barkley

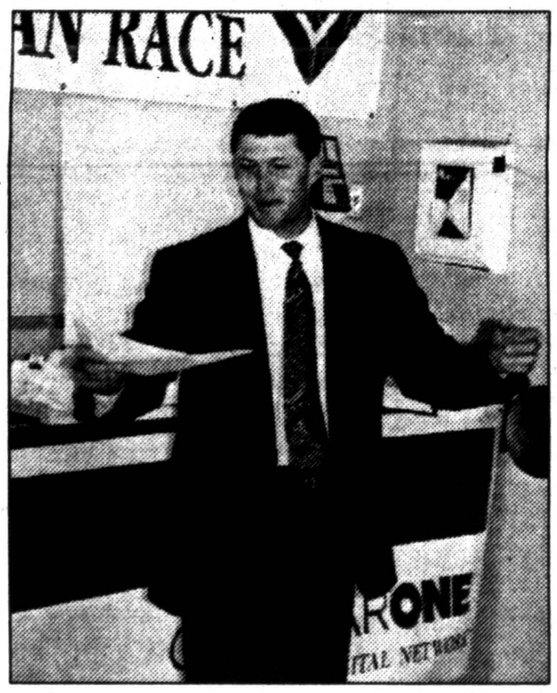
Area's leading women paid tribute

ONE WOMAN told of raising four kids alone while working a full-time job. Another said that she lost 110 pounds. Others spoke of putting their children through college, and **Frances Pabrua** said she hopes to "achieve her passion." Pabrua wants to see women break out of the fields as farm laborers and climb the management rungs in the world of agriculture.

For these and many other achievements, 10 local women were lauded as "outstanding" by the Monterey County Commission on the Status of Women. A luncheon in their honor took place Saturday, March 1, at Tarpy's Roadhouse.

Commissioner Kay Kirkland stands with four of the 10 outstanding women selected by the Monterey County Commission on the Status of Women. They are, Kirkland, Debra Kaczmar, Becky Batello, Brenda Shinault and Nancy M. Amos.

Mistress of Ceremonies Adrienne Laurent from KSBW-TV8 holds up a huge sweat shirt at the Human Race kickoff rally.



Guest speaker Mark Faylor, general manager of KION-TV46, gave the crowd many tips on how to solicit Human Race donations

Lisa Smith from Cellular One; Ilse Koberg from Noah's Bagels; publicity chair Tia Gindick; Jane Maines, executive director of the Volunteer Center; Morley Brown, honorary chair, and Terry Hughes, president of the Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce, all showed up for the Human Race kickoff rally Wednesday, March 5 at Cellular One in Monterey. The banner in back says it all — 'We're All in It Together!'

The luncheon was designed to introduce honorees to each other, and also as a lead-in to last Sunday's reception at the Hyatt Regency. Sunday all 10 were lionized by Monterey County Supervisors and others.

The Monterey County Commission on the Status of Women acts as an advocate for county women. Its 15 members work toward eliminating discrimination and prejudice due to age, gender and parental or employment status. The commission assists in education, housing, community services and related areas.

"We want the public to know why you were chosen as an outstanding woman of Monterey County," said **Becky Tyksinski,** commission member, to assembled honorees.

During the luncheon, **Anne Sanchez,** commission chair, asked everyone to rise and say a few words. As they spoke it was easy to understand why these impressive women were chosen.

In 1996, the commission co-sponsored events with other organizations, provided a reference list of materials important to women and informed supervisors of the needs of women in the county.

To learn more about the commission, call **Ann Doelman** 755-4499.

■ Rally kicks off Human Race

Get out your walking shoes and some strong laces! The 16th annual Human Race, Monterey County's biggest effort for the benefit of non-profits, arrives Saturday, May 10.

The kickoff rally on Wednesday, March 5 at Cellular One in Monterey, was filled with energetic members of non-profit groups who wanted the low-down on fund raising techniques.

Tia Gindick, public relations leader, explained that the race (actually, a walk) is presented by the Volunteer Center of Monterey County as a fund raiser for more than 100 non-profit groups. Last year, more than 1,000 walkers participated, raising close to $85,000. A prize goes to the top corporate walking team.

Adrienne Laurent, anchorwoman for KSBW-TV8 news, a great mistress of ceremonies, welcomed everyone, and then introduced **Mark Faylor**, general manager at KION-TV46.

Faylor, a veteran fund raiser himself, gave his audience a torrent of helpful tips.

"Make sure that your board members are people who know the marketplace," Faylor said. "When you approach a possible source for a donation, assume that they are going to refuse. If they refuse, ask, 'Then, what *can* you give?' You will be amazed at what you can get from a quick comeback like that. Sometimes just a $50 donation or 10 sweat shirts will be handed to you."

Laurent introduced honorary chair **Morley Brown**, Monterey Peninsula's 1996 Citizen of the Year. She helped Laurent unveil the 1997 Human Race poster.

Before and after the kickoff, a delicious luncheon was provided by Noah's Bagels.

So, put on your walking shoes, register at the Monterey Bay Park on Del Monte Avenue from 7 to 9 a.m., May 10. For more info, call Tia at 375-0576 about this easy and highly beneficial walk.

■ Panhellenic Promenade pleases in pink

Beautiful pre-Easter pink, lavender and white table decorations were appreciated by the Monterey Bay Area National Alumnae Panhellenic women, seated at their 18th annual fashion show and luncheon last Saturday at Rancho Cañada. Tables featured lovely terra cotta vases planted with tiny flowers.

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Called "Panhellenic Promenade," the delightful affair featured fashions from Donlé of Carmel modeled by Panhellenic members, a prize drawing and a chicken salad lunch.

President **Jane Nelson** greeted everyone and read a "thank you" note from a charity that had benefited from a generous donation from the fraternity. Nelson also proudly announced that **Christina Balesteri,** a student at CSUMB; and a member of Kappa Alpha Theta, was Panhellenic's 1996 scholarship recipient of $1,000.

The fashion show, coordinated by soft-spoken **Peggy Donley,** was outstanding. Soft, washable knits in beiges, blacks, pinks and yellows were shown in shorts, slack suits and travel outfits. A colorful line called "Santa Cruz" featured printed silk dresses and slacks. It was roundly applauded.

One adorable outfit had bunnies imprinted on the jacket and one bunny on the back of the slacks. Donley generously offered the members a 10 percent discount through the month of March. Several of the models had already purchased their outfits!

Panhellenic provides guidance to prospective fraternity applicants, offers financial aid to current Panhellenic women, networks with other fraternities, tries to improve and promote the Panhellenic image and the entire fraternity system and informs fraternity women of current trends.

Jan Mumford, an Alpha Gamma Delta fraternity gal, really had a blast modeling a Dalmatian jacket and skirt at the Panhellenic luncheon Saturday. And guess what? She raises Dalmations.

Affable publicity chair **Gloria Grenfell** has more information about the Panhellenic alumnae. Call her at 883-1009.

Vice President Ann Marshall, President Jane Nelson and Decorations Chair Margaret Thompson greet the attendees at the Panhellenic Promenade luncheon.

JUST IN

✓ **Richard** and **Judith Blaha** and **Gary** and **Helen Plummer** held a beautiful engagement party for their children, **Julie Blaha** and **Carl Freese** Saturday, March 1 at the Monterey Adobe — The House of Four Winds. Many relatives and friends of the young couple attended the prenuptial party to wish them a successful and happy marriage.

✓ Morley Brown told me that her $1,500 donation — dinner and libations for 30 people at her home — to the auction for the **Meals on Wheels Red and White Ball** that came in over bid at $2,400, was also bid on by another group for $2,400. The donation now stands at $4,800.

✓ **The Carmel Woman's Club popular Spring Fashion Show** and catered luncheon will be held at 11:30 a.m. **Monday.** A St. Patrick's Day theme will be set, and the proceeds will benefit a local charity. Cost is $20 and the public is welcome. Information: 624-3379.

Enjoying the Panhellenic luncheon Saturday, March 8 at Rancho Cañada were members and guests (back row) Dianne Mills, Sharon Jameson, Louise Rosenhill. Seated are publicity chair Gloria Grenfell, Lynn Stratton Norris and Esther Josi.

✓ **The Best of Broadway Review** will be offered at 8 p.m. March 21-23 at the **Wharf Theater** in Monterey. The event is being presented to help save the historic theater from extinction. For reservations or further information phone 649-2332.

✓ Make your reservations for the sixth annual **Academy Awards Benefit Party** for the **Monterey County AIDS Project.** It begins 5:30 p.m. Monday, March 24 in the Monterey Room at the Monterey County Fairgrounds. This is a fabulous event with a big multi-screen viewing of the Oscar telecast and exotic prizes. Fifteen restaurants will be offering delicious food, and music and dancing by the Kenny Stahl Band will make this a memorable evening. Call the hotline at 648-7609.

✓ **Friends of the Monterey County Symphony** once again offer their superb fashion show, April in Paris, at 6:30 p.m. April 12 at the Monterey Marriott. Reservations: 624-8511.

Dodie Barkley's 'Social Spotlight' column appears every week in Peninsula. If you have news of social activities, contact Dodie at 626-0514 or write to her in care of Peninsula, P.O. Box G-1, Carmel 93921.

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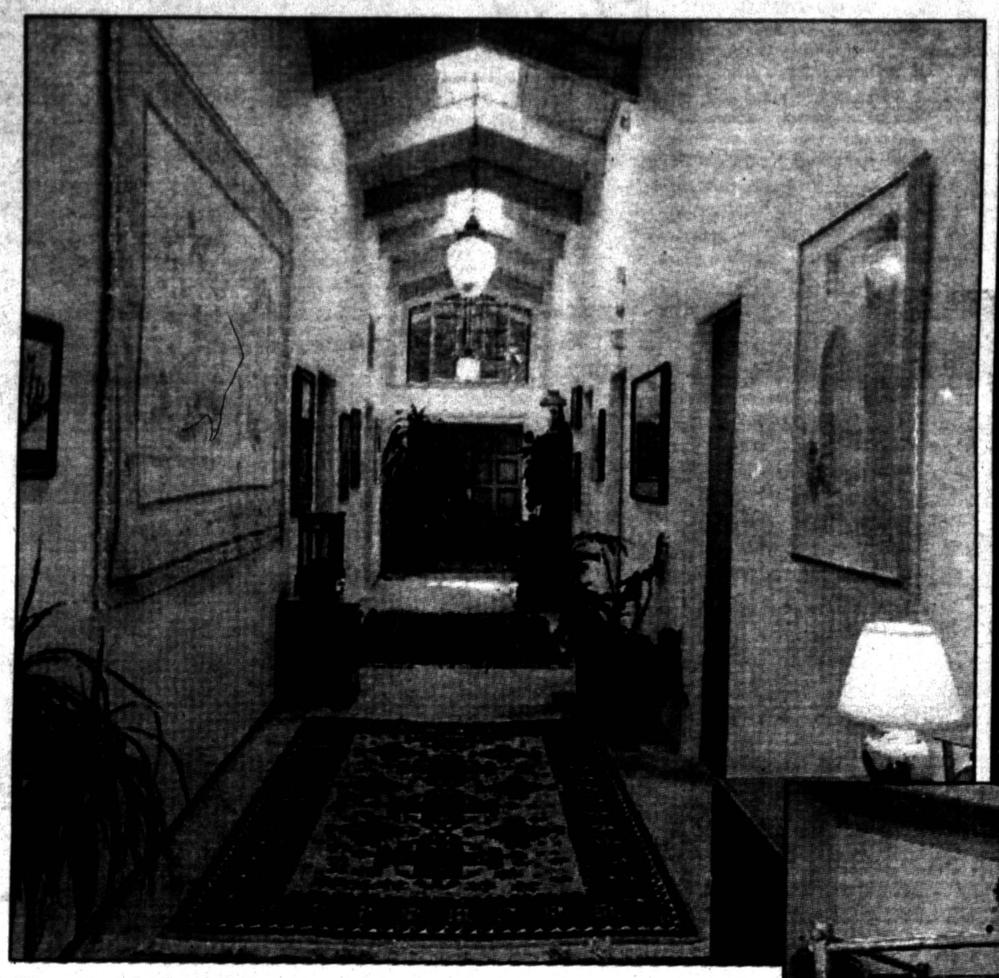

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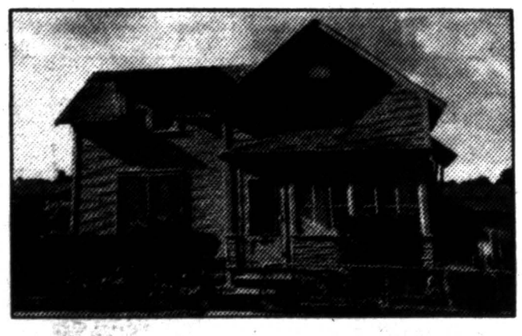

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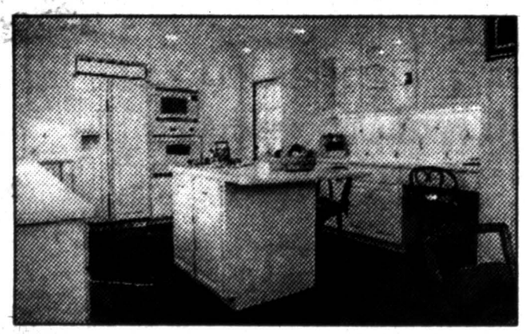

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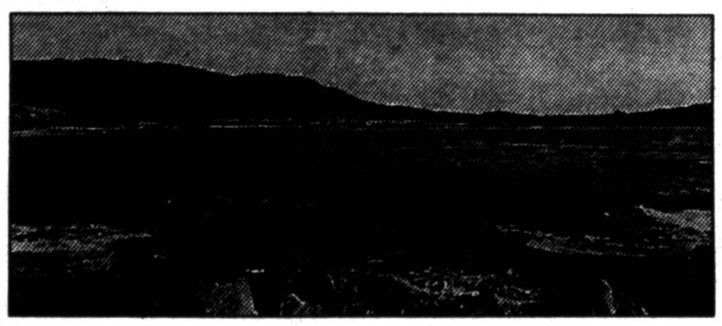

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